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# THE POSITIVE VOICE

I wish to express my gratitude to the membership of the Alumni Association for electing me to the office of the President. I will endeavor to promote and advance the purposes of our Association. I solicit your co-operation and support, but more important, your analysis and expression.

I enter into the office of the President and undertake its responsibilities at a time of great strife, uncertainty and change, not only in the entire health service community, but in our Nation at large. It would have been nice to have been placed in this office of leadership in a more normal time, when one could enjoy the prestige of the office and the friendship of the members.

Apparently, it was not destined to be so for me. The experience of serving as the last President of the St. Luke's Alumnae Association, and as the first Vice-President of our present Association, was a challenging, evolving, trying, and successful undertaking. This assuredly should have sufficed as an individual contribution. It was for this reason that I was reluctant to even accept the nomination to be a candidate for the office to which you have now elected me.

Now, as your new President, it is apparent that this term of office faces grave and challenging issues. We must re-examine the purposes of our Association as outlined in Article I of our By-Laws. We must reconstruct and redevelop these purposes to be meaningful in light of our present era. We must assume a positive, direct, challenging position representing the opinions of our 2,200 active members. We must attain a position of leadership that is expected of the Alumni of our Alma Maters. past and present, that have graduated over 8,000 nurses in their glorious

To this end, I will seek to appoint committees, new and old, to pursue positive activity in every area that is affecting the Nursing Profession today: legislative, professional status, education, non-professional assistants, collective bargaining, the confusion of the educational programsassociate, diploma, collegiate, and central educational schools. Last. but most important, to establish a nursing school committee for the purpose of positive alumni advisorship to the School of Nursing, and another committee equating the positive function of the Alumni Association to the Hospital.

To this end, I commit my administration. To this end, I seek your co-operation, your activity in any committee work that represents your prime interest. To this end, I ask your participation by writing to me, and to relay to me your opinions in these vital areas.

This is the "Positive Voice" of the Alumni that is the goal of my administration.

> Respectfully submitted. Kathryn E. Gdalman, R.N., President Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing Alumni Association

# The Alumni Association

Presbyterian - St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing

cordially invites you to attend the

Annual Banquet

The Pick-Congress Hotel

The Great Hall

Five Twenty South Michigan Avenue

April 20, 1967 - 6:30 o'clock p.m. - \$6.75 per plate

Social Hour - 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

R. S. V. P. before April 10, 1967

Miss Inette Hoxsey

33 East Cedar Street

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Guests of Honor Class of 1917 and Spring and Fall 1967 Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital

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Annual Homecoming Day

of the

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Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing

Thursday, April the Twentieth, 1967

Presbyterian-St. Luke's Nurses' Residence

1743 West Harrison Street



# TOURS OF THE HOSPITAL

1743 West Harrison Street
1:00 to 3:00 P. M.

# HOMECOMING DAY TEA-South Lounge

Presbyterian-St. Luke's Nurses' Residence 3:00 to 5:00 P. M.

# HOMECOMING RESERVATIONS

Please notify your classmates. You do not need to be active Alumni members to attend the festivities.

No banquet reservations will be made at the door.

Make checks and money orders payable to the Alumni Association, Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing.

# Please complete the following before April 10, 1967 and return promptly to:

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# WEDDINGS

Lynn Carol Roberts (1966) to Mr. Kenneth Robert Clugston
—November 19, 1966—

Hermelyn Fuller (1966) to Major Craig Warren Nelson
—October 5, 1966—

Barbara Joan Meshek (1966) to Mr. James R. Davis
—December 17, 1966—

Sally A. Sauder (1956) to Capt. Clement Dalton Caffey
—December 2, 1966—

Pamela Whinnen (1965) to Mr. George E. Schultz
—November 26, 1966—

Elaine Danek (1961) to Mr. Herbert P. Klenck, Jr.
—October 1, 1966—

Diana Louise Winn (1961) to Dr. Raymond D. Bauer
—June 4, 1966—

Myra Supitelof (1966) to Mr. William P. Ogiego
—September 24, 1966—

# **BIRTHS**

The Alumni Association wishes to congratulate the following parents: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hulboy (Shirley Truax, 1956)

-Diana Lynn on December 15, 1966-

Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Stonecipher (Elizabeth Baker, 1963)
—Marla Beth on November 28, 1966—

Mr. and Mrs. R. Evans (Dorothy Robinson, 1958)

—Jeanine on February 2, 1966—

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Koeneigsmark (Joyce Sladek, 1959)
—Joletta Bee on December 7, 1966—

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stupegia (Karen Wintermute, 1963)

—Robert Jr. on August 28, 1965—
and

-John Carl on November 12, 1966-

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Miller (Susan Cupery, 1964)
—Charles, IV on February 10, 1966—

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Holquin (Georgia Lee Dale, 1955)
—Barbara Ann on June 24, 1966—

Capt. and Mrs. L. W. Jacob (Nancy Sithen, 1958)

—Kile David on September 18, 1966—

Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Mitchell (Leone Mitchell, 1960)

—Laurel Anne on October 21, 1966—

Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Newby (Dione Lawson, 1956)

---Ruth Ann on January 5, 1967----

Dr. and Mrs. Mark A. Lakin (Roberta Harmison, 1960)
—Brian Peter on January 10, 1967—

Dr. and Mrs. Jack L. Chitty (June Caldwell, 1958)
——Andrew Ian on December 28, 1966—

# **EXPLANATION**

There has been many queries and suggestions regarding indicating what school is represented by the items in the CLASS NEWS. It is really very simple to ascertain which is what school. All the Pres. items are straight numerals for the year of graduation. Almost all of the St. Luke's items carry "A" or "B" with the date. And all dates from 1960 on are PSL. This should be helpful.

# IN MEMORIAM

The Alumni Association wishes to express deepest sympathy to the following in the loss of loved ones:

• Edna Hermann (P-1929) who lost her eldest brother this past year.

family and friends of Eloise Buckholz Grant (S.L. 1933B) who died of lung cancer April, 1966 in San Francisco. She was buried at Wausau, Wis.

family and friends of Edith Erickson (S.L.-1933B) who died June, 1965 in

California of a coronary.

• Bagdalene Heinl Sullivan (S.L.-1929A) who lost her husband, Dr. Florence L. Sullivan August 7, 1966 from a heart attack. Dr. Sullivan had a brilliant career and will be missed by his family and friends. Memorial Fund was established in his honor at the Freeport Community College.

• family and friends of Hilda Fogelsang Bryan (S.L.-1929) who died October 29, 1966 following open heart surgery at General Rose Memorial

Hospital, Denver, Colo.

• Mary Treleaven Saunders (S.L.-1918) whose husband P.G. Saunders died of a heart attack October, 1966 at Cambridge, Wis.

• Gladys Agar Stark (S.L.-1925B) who lost her husband George in May, 1966.

• family and friends of Elizabeth Konrad (P-1953) who with her husband, two children and another minister lost their lives February, 1966. The auto in which they were riding was hit by a train.

family and friends of Ruth Funk Proctor (S.L.-1936A) who expired Septem-

ber 22, 1966, result of an auto accident.

- family and friends of Jane Walter Coon Offutt (P-1910) who died in 1966. family and friends of Marianne Smith Pierce (S.L.-1954B) who died in 1966.
- family and friends of Ollie Fisher (S.L.-1921) who expired September 24, 1966.

• family and friends of Winnie Hiers (S.L.-1930B) who died in 1966.

family and friends of Eleanore Criger MacKimm (S.L.-1931A) who died in 1966.

• family and friends of Harriet E. Matthews (P-1928) who died in 1966.

• family and friends of Florence McCabe (S.L.-1909) who died in 1966. • family and friends of Elizabeth Bostater (P.-1906) who died in 1966.

• family and friends of Mabel M. Dunlap (P.-1912) who died in Moline, October 24, 1966. She was president of the INA in 1923-24, also served as treasurer of the association for 25 years. She was director of the Moline VNA from 1919 to 1954 when she retired. She was a member of the INA committee which organized the Public Health Section in 1923. She was a veteran of the World War I Expeditionary Force in France.

• Merel Schmittler (P.-1956) who lost her father December 26, 1966 due to

heart attack.

• family and friends of Clara Piltz Julian (S.L.-1922) who died August 5, 1966. The last 2 years she had been night supervisor at Pershing Memorial Hospital in Brookfield, Missouri. The staff she worked with are said to be working to establish a scholarship fund in her memory.

• the family and friends of Vera Dominick Perez Vela (P-1947) who expired January 18, 1967 due to an inoperable non-malignant cerebral deepseated tumor. She was living in Mexico City, Mexico; her husband

George and three children survive her.

• the family and friends of Magdalene Steward (P.-1941) who died suddenly of a heart attack, February 9, 1967.

# NOTICE

If you have lost your pin, or if you need some new caps you must have special forms for them.

# WRITE TO -

Office of the School of Nursing Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing 1743 West Harrison Street, Chicago, Illinois 60612

# LIVING - IN OUR MEMORIES

Magdalene Steward will indeed live on in the hearts of her many friends and co-workers in the Alumni Association and Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing. "Ming", as we all knew her, taught since her graduation in 1941 at first Presbyterian and then the Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital Schools of Nursing. She has been in the Natural Science Department and in 1957 was made head of that department. Her faithful, willing, and constant help in the Alumni as Executive Secretary, Board Member and Committee Chairman and member at various times during her many years of service, should be an inspiration to all of us.

Ming died suddenly of a heart attack on the way to work February 9, 1967. She was buried near her home town of Garrett, Indiana on February 12, 1967. A memorial service was held Thursday, February 16, 1967 at the School of Nursing.

Ming has left behind for her friends the legacy of fond memories, through her devotion and dedicated work in the nursing profession. She will indeed continue to live on—in our memories.



Dr. John C. Holden, Director of Westminster House, gave the following tribute to Miss Steward. She had served on the board of Westminster House for several years.

We deeply mourn the loss of Miss H. Magdalene Steward, who died suddenly on Thursday, February 9, 1967. Miss Steward was Instructor of Natural Science, Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing, 1941-1957; and Dirctor, Department of Natural Science and Instructor, Presbyterian-St. Luke's School of Nursing, 1957-1967. Her education included a B.A. degree from DePauw University in 1927; diploma from Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing in 1941; and a M.A. degree from the University of Chicago in 1959. Miss Steward was for many years an active and dedicated officer of Westminster House in the Medical Center. Dr. John Holden, Director of Westminster House, paid tribute to her outstanding service at the Memorial Service held in the School of Nursing on Thursday, February 16, 1967. Dr. Holden mentioned Miss Steward's concern for an intelligent faith and philosophy of life, her interest in the ethical problems of modern biology and medicine, and finally her sense of time and eternity, her balance of perspective and involvement. Miss Steward was a teacher, friend and companion of many students.

# FOX RIVER VALLEY ALUMNAE

The Fox River Valley Group of St. Luke's Hospital Alumnae Association held its annual reunion at the home of Mrs. Walter H. Milbacher, 1214 Garfield Avenue, Aurora, Illinois. Those present represented graduating classes from 1919 to 1957.

Mrs. Rae Oksonevad (Rae Saville) of Galesburg was honored for having travelled the farthest distance, and was also the oldest graduate present. The Class of 1933 had the most alumnae present.

The next annual meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John G. Bryan (Marguerite Goodendorf) 561 Garfield Avenue, Aurora, Illinois on December 1, 1967.

All St. Luke's nurses in the area who have not been contacted, please notify Miss Marie Klein, 255 W. Downer, or Mrs. John Bryan, 561 Garfield Avenue, Aurora, Illinois. Mrs. Bryan will be next year's hostess and chairman.

The following were present: Rae Saville Oksonevad. Mrs. Lloyd (Margaret Strong) Markel, 1919, Miss Rebecca Riley, 1920, Mrs. Walter (Mary Benson) Milbacher, Mrs. C. A. (Lillian Smely) Crum, 1926, Mrs. William (Mabel Leimbacher) Wilson, 1929, Miss Marie A. Klein, 1931, Mrs. Steven (Louise Mather) Lang, Mrs. Harold (Betty Irving) Warren, Miss Aileen E. Cassidy, and Miss Dorothy Ross, all of the class of 1933. Mrs. Elmer (Josephine Council) Patelski, 1932. Mrs. Frank (Cleo Peters) Smith, 1936, Mrs. Quillen (Phyllis Kendall) Fox, 1946, and Mrs. John (Marguerite Goodendorf) Bryan.

Next year's hostesses will be Mrs. Patricia LeBaron Bergman, Mrs. Dagmara Veinbergs Nyman, Mrs. Cleo Peters Smith, Miss Aileen E. Cassidy, Miss Marie A. Klein, and Mrs. Marguerite Goodendorf Bryan accepted the chairmanship.

MARIE A. KLEIN, 255 W. Downer Aurora, Illinois 60506

# **CLASS NEWS**

- 1898—I only wish there were more space to include the entire article which was sent in regarding an interview with Nelle Hawksworth Campbell, a 90-year old graduate of St. Luke's. She recalled her entrance into the School of Nursing where she became known as "Pricilla" because one of the doctors thought she looked like John Alden's Pricilla in her uniform, and she carried the name from then on. Her husband was a senior interne and was not supposed to notice a young nurse so they "dated" on the cable cars. She recalled the hours of duty, study periods, etc. of the student nurse in those days. She has been very active in the local Alumni chapter in Madison, Wis. She attends all the meetings unless the weather is inclimate. Any one in the area who is interested in attending the Madison meetings contact the secretary—Ruth Hersekorn Hanson, 4202 Kenwood, Madison, Wis. 53704. Phone 249-1552.
- 1916—Edna P. Braun has been with a sick sister for six months in Grand Rapids, Mich. She has seen several Pres. grads who live there. She misses the Alumni meetings whose programs she finds most interesting.
- 1917—Virginia Billow, a member of the 50th Anniversary class this year has given a one thousand dollar check to the Alumni Education Fund in honor of the St. Luke's 1917 Class. A mighty nice anniversary gift and we thought that you would all be happy to hear about it.
- 1921—Mary Everett Merchant retired from Pres.-St. Luke's June, 1966 and moved to Albuquerque, N. Mex. She sounds very enthusiastic about the weather and scenery, she especially enjoyed the "luminaries" at Christmas time. She has not had time to contact Pres.-St. Luke's grads in the vicinity but if anyone wishes to contact or write to her the address is—303 San Pablo N.E., Albuquerque, N. Mex. 87108.

# TO REACH THE HOSPITAL . . . . .

# by Public Transportation

# from Loop:

- I) Congress "A" train at Dearborn Street Subway Station, west platform, to Medical Center. (There is a tunnel connection to Dearborn Station from State and Washington Station.)
- 2) Harrison bus No. 7 at State and Harrison, west side of street, to Medical Center.
- 3) No. 136 bus at State and Quincy, west to Medical Center.

# from North:

- I) Subway to Loop and Congress "A" train to Medical Center (see above).
- 2) No. 58A bus at Wisconsin and Clark Streets. South on Ogden to Wood and Harrison Streets.
- 3) No. 9 Ashland Avenue bus South to Congress Parkway. Walk west two blocks to Hospital.

# from South:

- 1) Subway to Loop and Congress "A" train to Medical Center (see above).
- 2) No. 9 Ashland Avenue bus North to Congress Parkway. Walk west two blocks to hospital.

# from West:

Congress "A" train (subway) to Medical Center.

# from Southwest:

Douglas Park Elevated to Medical Center. Walk north two blocks to hospital.

# by Automobile

# from Loop:

Eisenhower (Congress) Expressway west to Ashland Avenue turnoff. South on Ashland to Harrison two blocks. West on Harrison to Wood. North on Wood for one block. Right on Congress Parkway to main entrance.

# from West:

Eisenhower (Congress) Expressway east to Paulina Avenue turnoff. Main entrance on right side of street as you leave turnoff.

# from North or South:

- 1) To Loop and out on Eisenhower (Congress) Expressway (see above).
- 2) Ashland Avenue or Ogden Avenue to Medical Center.

# THE SCHOOL OF NURSING is located on Harrison Street; South of the Hospital.



FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE . . . in driving, or riding or and School of Nursing, we are providing you with this ma



and instructions (see Page 9 for instructions) . . . .

- 1922B—Gordo Willson of Ossining, N. Y. has retired as Director of Nursing at Grasslands Hospital. She had graduated from St. Luke's, Chicago, and received her bachelor's and master's degrees from Columbia Teachers College. She had served Grasslands for 28 years beginning as a supervisor of nursing. She has been very active in her professional organizations and plans to continue her activities in them in her retirement.
- 1923B—Rosallen Churchill Michal sent in a bit of news regarding herself and some members of her class. Julia Latrop Bertick entertained her son and family at Christmas, Flossie Blizzard Volmer and her husband planned to spend the winter in the south, Annie McChesney Link is confined at home due to arthritis, Romana Huddleson Russell remained at home this winter instead of her usual trip to Mississippi, Gladys Harris Daniels lives at Yuba City, Cal., Arlouine Price Spring is in a hospital in Portage, waiting to get into a nursing home. Rosallen and her family, son, daughter-in-laws and grandchildren spent the holidays on the desert. She has done some part-time nursing, visited her family and gardening with hope of watermelon for Easter.
- 1925B—Anita Swaggerty is planning to retire in September after 20 years at Theda Clark Memorial Hospital, Neenah, Wis. She has had 18 years of nights in the newborn nursery.
- 1926—We received a biography of Jean South from the N.L.N. from which we have excerpted the high points for you. She is director Nursing Advisory Service on Tuberculosis and Other Respiratory Diseases of the Nat'l TB Assoc. and the N.L.N. She has been on the teaching staffs of Johns Hopkins University, Seton Hall University and Teachers College, Columbia University. She has participated in several studies and national and international conferences on tuberculosis, etc. She is the author of "Tuberculosis Handbook for Public Health Nursing". Is a graduate of Presbyterian School of Nursing, masters from Teachers College and has also studied at New York School of Social Work, Columbia. Any one wishing to contact her—69 5th Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10003.
- 1927—Carol Maxfield Brady and husband have a travel trailor and usually go north for the summer and south for the winter. They enjoy traveling in the States and Canada. This winter they are in Donna, Texas.
- 1928—Leona Diehl was in a car accident this past year and spent four months in the hospital at Ann Arbor, Mich., recovering from multiple fractures. She has returned to work, but on crutches. Can't keep a good gal down. Your friends in Chicago say, "Hi Lee, our best wishes for a better 1967."
- 1929—Viola Hanes Weatherbee of Rochelle, Ill. sent in some news—Bea Schwirtz had dinner with Viola and they had a wonderful visit, Bea is still in DeKalb. Celia Johnson Diller of Princeton has made a remarkable recovery from her very serious accident of several years ago and is now able to drive her car.
  - Dorothy Provine is now Director of Nursing at Westlake Hospital in Melrose Park, Ill.
- 1930B—Clara Walrick Cleary of Bloomington, Ill. was honored by the St. Joseph's Alumnae Assoc. on her retirement after serving the hospital for 20 years. She was pediatrics supervisor of the wards for sick children from birth to 16 years. She said it was a lovely dinner due to the many nurses with whom she had worked and taught being present. She intends to spend the immediate time of her retirement visiting her family and entertaining her friends. If any St. Luke's grads. of 1930B wish to help her entertain her friends, drop in at 608 No. Roosevelt Ave., Bloomington, Ill. 61701 or write.

- 1933B—Frances Zinney Rosenberg has sent in news of some of her class. She has retired from South Shore Hospital, Chicago, where she had been in OR and is now gardening, crocheting, painting, etc. Angela Spolar Hennessy and husband visited their son who is in service in Europe. Bertha Mahoney Seck is doing private duty in San Diego, Cal. Marie Knodle Frazier is working nights at Menorah Medical Center, Kansas City, Mo., has one grandchild and her youngest is in junior high school.
- 1934B—Earleen Heighn Gehring lives in Kendalville, Ind. where she is Recovery Room Nurse at McCray Memorial Hospital. She has two children and two grand-daughters.
- 1936—Edna Eittreim Peters of Bismark, N. Dak. sends word that her husband is a partner in the Quain Ramstad Clinic, son Bill is working in IBM, daughter Kay is a sophomore at St. Olaf College and she would not change Bismark for Chicago!
- 1938—Hila Richards Stratton sends word that her two girls are married and she has one grandson, her two sons are at Wooster College in Ohio. She is president of the Charlotte, N. C. Branch of the Am. Assoc. of University Women, teaches Mother and Baby care classes and is an instructor trainer for the Am. Red Cross; she just received an appreciation award and a 15-year pin from the ARC.
  - Major Margaret Corliss has been transferred from Chicago to St. Louis, Mo., to be the Director of the Salvation Army Emergency Lodge for Women and Children. This is a service for stranded women and children and for service women.
- 1939A—Margene Draves Sasgen and husband were madly engaged in getting their new abode in some semblance of order for the holidays so they could not only enjoy the holidays but be able to take off on a vacation afterwards. On top of this their older son David was being married New Year's Eve. The younger boy Harry is on the Dean's list at Illinois University and working on an Honors Thesis.
- 1941—Eleanor J. Miller completed her masters in Nursing Ed. at Indiana University and is teaching Maternity Nursing at Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis.
  - We received a News Release from the office of the Surgeon General, U. S. Army, regarding the award given Lt. Col. Katherine W. Phillips. A belated Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious service as a Consultant, Audio-visual Education, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, from Sept. 1957 to August 1966. Her mother was with her when Maj. Gen. Conn L. Milburn, Commanding General of Brooke Army Medical Center, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas presented the citation and medal. She is a graduate of Presbyterian School of Nursing, BS in Nursing Education, University of Minn., and masters in Audio-visual Education, Indiana University. She served in the Southwest Pacific during World War II. Other honors: Bronze Star Medal for Korean War, "U. S. Lady of the Month" April 1963 and "U. S. Lady of the Year" 1963 by U. S. Lady Magazine. Poor health forced her retirement this past summer.
- 1945B 1933B—Nora Gaulke sent in the information that Major Adeline Kroncke, Rtd., class of 1933B is ill and in a Nursing Home. If her classmates would like to write her the address is—Manor House of Madison, 1347 Fish Hatchery Rd., Madison, Wis. 53715 (or maybe visit).
- 1944A—Jean Allison Ladd in Canton, Ill. is well and looking forward to the 25th year reunion in '69.
  - Elaine Anderson Suhr is a grandmother thanks to her Marine son Larry now stationed in Vietnam. Son Lee started military service in Dec.
  - Helene Anderson Barncard accomplished two feats this year. She visited Europe for the second time and gave up smoking! Congrats on both.
  - Jeanne Breyman Heise is still in Maderia, Ohio.
  - Bernice Carlson Amador busy as any mother of three would be and keeping the home fires burning for husband Doctor Lou.

Connie Conver McDonell is grateful for the greatest gift—good health.

After her long and perilous seige with heart disease she is well enough to be a hospital volunteer 3 days a week.

Ruth Dana Fife is thinning the ranks at home by packing off a few to college and careers. Eldest son David is assigned to a 2 year mission in Santiago, Chile, with the church of the Latter Day Saints. Judy, 19, is at Arizona State U. while Becky 17 started at U. of Arizona. The exploits of this family can hardly be contained in Ruth's annual Christmas letter. Husband Ray is finishing his term as President of the local Medical Society.

Marion Etten must have flipped her lid for she left hospital nursing in order to teach in a state college in Chicago. The course is Health, Safety and First Aid. O.K. teacher.

Joyce Fitch Schroeder in Wausau, Wis. watches her 8th grader son Dale progress in Scouts.

Leona Jahnsen Kouri and family are settled in LaVerne, Calif.

Marion Nielsen Bolton is a busy wife of the Attorney General of the state of Georgia. The politicing is hot and heavy as we all know from the news stories of that fracas.

Betty Kafka Conzett sends a Christmas card with the most beautiful group of 5 youngsters you ever saw. The youngest still in diapers reminds us that we aren't as old as we think.

Mary Jane Lemenager will graduate a daughter from Texas Tech this spring and guides Tom through 10th grade.

Mary Minick is in her 9th year with the Board of Health in Fremont, Ohio.

Ann Mortenson Joehnke is still up in Waterford, Wis. and gets an occasional trip to Chicago when husband Bob comes on business. She visited with Connie McDonell in Dec.

Mona Moughton (our most learned) will definitely wind up that doctoral dissertation this year, at New York U. A feline fellow named Felix Francis runs her household and she continues to teach psych. nursing at NYU.

Loretta Niedbalski Kot, widowed last year, is a busy enough gal caring for a brood of 5. She got to visit with Erma Page Lewis in San Francisco this summer at the ANA Convention.

Catherine Nyhan Cawley is a Park Ridge resident and busy mother.

Madeline Olsen Weibner of Alton, Ill. still there.

Betty Oyler Johnson and family of 2 sons and spouse still live just outside Washington in Fairfax, Va.

Erma Page Lewis can brag of a vacation in beautiful Hawaii this year. She works at State College in San Francisco, in the Dept. of Nursing.

Ann Paulsen Gallup will NOT go to Florida this winter. (They will close down). Instead she plans a European trip this summer.

Marion Pierce Jones has 2 daughters at Utah College. Nursing of course.

Dorothy Robinson Wernecke made it to Chicago this spring for the annual homecoming. She has moved to a new home—30375 Woodgate Lane, Southfield, Michigan 48075.

Evelyn Van Deventer, our retired Army Major is basking in the Alabama warmth where she lives with her family.

Clara Wesner Sunderland reminds us of the '69 reunion-and so do I.

Submitted by Marion Etten 1947A—Ann Woodworth Meissner is the Assistant Director in an experimental school for retarded adolescents. It is a service-research and administrative job which she likes very much. She said she is probably one of the few registered nurse-certified psychologists around. Her daughter Edie (first of the '47A children) is a sophomore at Beloit College and her son John is a junior in High School. She wonders if there are enough grads around her area who would be interested in a PSL group. Why not contact her and see—6420 Medicine Lake Rd., Apt. 206, Minneapolis, Minn. 55422.

1947B—Betty Scheluraff Brund moved to California in June and has contacted two members of her class, Velma Neil Marshall and Pen Rogers Craig. She had also the pleasure of seeing Father Travis whom she had not seen since her marriage at which he had officiated.

1950A-Jane Rosford McQuire and her husband motored from Scotch Plains, N.J. to Chicago, stopping enroute to and from to visit several classmates. Grace Schlemer Piper and husband Earl were building a new home for their family of 2 girls and a boy. They were disappointed in not seeing Ruth Rinne although they had a "phone talk". Visited Betty Hoffine Leister and her family in Sturgis, Mich., they have 2 lovely girls. Then on to Grand Rapids to visit Gladys Meyers, Vergel was away on a business trip, but they saw the children. Jane would love to hear from other members of the class-339 Cedar Grove Ter., Scotch Plains, N. J.

1952-Lois Kruckeberg Rydeen has lived in Seattle, Wash. area since January 1961. She says she is just now beginning to like the weather! They have two children, David, 5, and Ruth, 18 months. At present she

is devoting her time to being a full time wife and mother.

1953B—Ellen Littlewood Frahm is working two evenings a week as relief supervisor in a 110 bed hospital. Her children are in 2nd grade and kindergarten.

Jean Domke Bernard sent a picture of her children and how they have grown. Her youngest is in the first grade. The whole family is enjoying water skiing in the summer. Dick and Jean were planning another vacation in Acapulco in January.

Martha Luman Gilbert works two evenings a week. Her children are in the 2nd grade and kindergarten.

Barbara Edgar Schmidt is still at Pres.-St. Luke's.

Joan Wolff Halla puts me to shame. Besides being the happy mother of eight children, she's a Bluebird leader and chairman of the annual benefit party for an orphanage.

Melba Fink Cassel and husband now reside in Springfield, Ill. Bill is with the State Health Dept.

Marge Neumann Schmidt and family moved into a new home in Nov. Marge has three children but still works week-ends at Lutheran General.

Donna Miller Whalen quit working a year ago. Keeps busy with her 3 children.

Mary Schroeder Hess is a Den mother and assistant leader for Girl Scouts, and is active in PTA besides teaching a Sunday School Class. I was very surprised to learn that Sheila McCann is an Army nurse stationed in Japan. She joined the Army in October and loves Japan.

Anne Kellar is in the USAF Nurse Corps Reserve. She spends one week-

end a month in Chicago.

Marion Wilson Reinhart wrote that they had their dream come true in 1966 when they acquired their own farm. Marion is working part time in a doctor's office.

Diane Phillips Firchau wrote that Bob had been offered a job in Ohio and was commuting to Cincinnati while deciding whether to move.

Lila Potter Moeller wrote that the tornado in Kansas went thru their back yard! Max made two trips to Germany in 1966. Lila's big news was that she is expecting another Moeller in April and is also working two nites a week in a 135 bed hospital.

Carolyn Clausen Grisez and family acquired some lake property in Montana in 1966. They have hopes of building a cabin there.

Ruth Reimersma Stover wrote that Dale is now a rural mail carrier and is enjoying having his afternoons free. Ruth is still working one evening a week.

Aileen Dahl Spiro is busy with church work and A.A.U.W. Her boys

are both in school. Dan is with IBM.

Ruth Van Ort Brown writes that she still works once in a while. David is a second grader and Amy is in nursing school.

- Marilyn Brons Keener had a "dream come true" when Jonathan Earl arrived on March 3, 1966. His big sisters are in the 7th and 4th grades.
- Mary Maupin Hammond joined a bowling league. She's not working but got to see everyone in surgery when Dr. Curtin did some minor plastic work on her face last fall.
- Nancy King Flanders lives in Mequon, Wisc. now. Brenda joined the family in October so Nancy is busy with her five daughters.
- Mickey Nielsen Sheldon wrote that her family enjoyed a month long visit of an exchange student from Colombia, S.A. last summer.
- Joyce Vandenberg Brown and family moved to Des Plaines.
- Janet Thiemann Kepplinger sent a picture of her three lovely daughters.

  The littlest one is the picture of her mother. Jan works two evenings a week.
- Roberta Seiglenger Foss works 3 evenings a week at Elmhurst, and also finds time for Eastern Star activities.
- Mary Mulliken Anderson writes that Gordon is working nights and going to school in the daytime. Mary is a diabetic now and having some problems with it.
- Carolyn Van Dyke Clock and family are enjoying a summer cottage near Muskegon. All of her children are in school now.
- Betty Warnack Garman is a Sunday School Supt. and teaches in summer Bible school. She and Jim are both very active in children's and church activities.
- Gwen Reed Baker amazes me every year with the longest Christmas letter. Besides keeping ahead of her five boys, she is working full time on nites in O.B. She says she is not a den mother!

May I express my thanks to all the girls who took time to drop me a line at Christmas time. Several asked if we are going to make plans for a reunion in 1968. Everyone interested might send any suggestions with their 1967 Christmas cards.

We are enjoying living in Sidney very much. I'm working "parttime." At least four and sometimes six days a week in a 67 bed hospital. Shelley is taking organ lessons now and Jeff is taking piano. Eric is a first grader. I also bowl every week and belong to two bridge clubs so I don't have a lot of spare time. I was so happy when Blanche Cravenor Snider and family stopped to see me this summer. Blanche was thinking about going to work in a Dr's. office.

I'm hoping to see you all in 1968.

# Sincerely, DELORES PETERSON STASCH

- 1954—Betty Wiedrich Dees and family are still living in Farmer City, Ill., besides husband Dave, the family consists of Mary, 9½, Becky, 7½, and Paul, 1½ and a large tomcat that answers to "White Whiskers". The congregation built a lovely new ranch house for them. She is busy with the activities in which a minister's wife and mother finds oneself.
- 1956—Shirley Truax Hulby and her husband, Joe left their 3 year old daughter with her parents in St. Charles while they went to Europe for six weeks. First they took a 3-week bus trip and then went on their own in a rented car. They especially enjoyed the Alps, visited friends in Austria and Holland, saw the Van Gough and Rembrandt paintings in Amsterdam, rode a gondola in Venice, "leaned" in the Tower of Pisa and visited London and many more fascinating places.
- 1957—Mary Ann Schuneman Ohner has been busy to get her class together for their big reunion this year. She sent out a "round robin" last year and has now divided it into 4 groups so classmates should be receiving their news soon. Hopefully 1957 Class will have a big turnout at Homecoming. Mary Ann is working one evening a week in O.B. in Sterling, Illinois.

- 1958—The class newsletter received 44 responses this past November and we all received a most interesting report from Delores Fortney Goodfellow and Sonja Hilliker Stork. I will attempt to report here on part of that news and continue it in the June issue. If you don't find your name here—look again in June.
  - Eleanor Bennett Duncan is now working 3 days a week, and has recently been involved in a nurse reorientation program. Soon it will be time to plan the summer garden again with Ronnie 4 and Suzanne, 2½ helping.
  - Mickey Dittmar Aurand keeps busy with Jr. Women's Club, Med. wives auxillary, Fed. Women's Clubs and other community projects in Clinton, Iowa. Also to keep her busy are Greg 6, Katy 5, and Andrea 4.
  - Mary Mark Barclay is doing school nursing in DeKalb where she also keeps busy with bridge, club, and church work. Rog is an insurance agent for Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co.
  - Pat Kelsey Koch and husband Ken now own their own Rexall Drugs in Des Plaines. They say starting in business is exciting but scary. Kim is two years old.
  - Barb Kukuck Brandon helped organize a Bi-weekly "Sun School" in the neighborhood, where one mother takes the children for 2 hours and the others have two leisure hours. Barb fills her hours with sewing, tailoring, painting, etc. The Brandons will be "hanging a shingle" somewhere in Illinois come September. The family also consists of Susan 5 and Sally 3.
  - Judy Pitek and husband celebrated their tenth anniversary with homeowners headaches. Judy works part time at Westake Hospital. Deborah is 6 and Greg 4.
  - Dottie Bossard is now living in Westmont and works in the Medical Department at Bell Telephone Laboratories in Naperville. She recently joined a "Sweet Adelines" group (Women's Barbershop Harmony) in Naperville and it is a most enjoyable group. Also the Public Relations Committee from Alumni again takes up quite a bit of time.
  - Joan Spohr Linden's husband is now a pilot for American Airlines. They recently purchased a home and this plus sons Richard and Tom keep her busy.
  - Mary Jane Kellogg Watson has the greatest news that the Drs. now believe her paralysis was due to cord compression and not M.S. After many surgeries she is now fine. The Watsons have adopted two children. Kelly is now 1½ and Amy is 8 months. They also have a foster child who is in high school. Mary Jane still finds time for many outside activities even with such a busy household.
  - Judy Prelipp Bush keeps busy with Sara 5, Scott 2½ and Jay, 9 months. Jay seems to be a live doll to the other two and seems to enjoy it too. Dan is still with the research center for American Can Co.
  - Carol Ramsey Crofoot finds activities at home keep her busy with the two children. She does spend some time with local precinct activities.
  - Dorothy Robinson Evans is taking a gourmet cooking class these days. Extra special goodies should now appear at their table. Susan is two and Jeanine one. Rich is now working for the Chicago Fire Department.
  - Mary Mueller is busy with crafts and projects for brownies, schools' youth groups. Barb is 8 and Terri 6 and the whole family enjoy playing the organ.
  - Winnie Bergstrom is surrounded by 4 males at her house—husband Randy, who works for Jewel Tea Company, David 7, Eric 3½, and Jon 2. Winnie keeps busy with PTA, Sunday School Teaching and baby sitting.
  - Betty Spencer is doing school nursing in Villa Park. She hopes to take a ski vacation in Switzerland in March. Good luck Betty.

- Cynthia Sizer Rupp in Elmwood Park keeps busy with Church Work as guild secretary, choir mother, Sunday School Teacher and choir member. Herb travels nationwide for Motorola as special products account executive. Cheryl started school last fall and Brian will start next fall.
- Connie Schuster Ryan hopes to finish her work towards a masters degree in romance languages this year. Will is doing Endocrine Research and teaching at the U. of I. Medical School. Daughter Anne is 3 and son Will 1.
- Shirley Wolf Krick works part time at the family sporting goods store in Oak Park. After major surgery a year ago, she is now feeling "tip-top". Tommy is now 3½ and Sherry 1½.
- Jeanette Engelbrecht Whisler and husband Walt are now living in Oak Park. Walt is a neurosurgeon on the staff at PSL and Hines. He is working on his Ph.D. in Biochemistry. Jan is now assistant director of the O.R. at P.S.L.
- Camille Muelchi Proud keeps busy with Cara, 2. June should bring some rivalry for her as a new addition is expected then. Camille has been working 2-3 nights a week at Evangelical Hospital where Ted is assistant administrator.
- Jinny Liston Wiederhirn is head nurse in Psychiatry at Grant Hospital.

  John is an accountant at Tractor Supply Corp.
- Lois Shetler Freeman is working part time at St. James Hospital in Chicago Heights. Elaine is in third grade, Karen is 6 and Alfred 4.
- Connie Tingstrom Ray is staying with her family near Madison, Wis., while Jim is in Okinawa. He should be home any day now. Cheryl is now 7 and Judy 4½. Connie is a Brownie Scout Leader and does a lot of sewing.
- Gay Crawford Ferry still keeps working 3 evenings a week at one of Waukegan's Hospitals. Tommy is 6, Debbie 4 and Karen 1½ and very blond and curly headed.
- Adelle J. Marshall received a BA degree in secondary education, Roosevelt University in February, 1965. She is currently working as Assistant Director of Nursing Service at Providence Hospital, Oakland, Cal.
- 1959—Dolores C. Paulsen is now Capt. ANC. She had been living in California but since joining the Army she is stationed at El Paso, Texas.

  Joyce Sladek Koenigsmark and family have lived in West Chicago for 7 years and owned their own home for 4 years. The family consists of Jeff, Jay, Josie and Joletta.
  - Joanne Gostomski Reinhard sent in news of her 1959 class and also 1957. Jean Grizzo Buzolets moved from Gary to 29600 Pickford, Livonia, Mich. 48152. She has three sons and her husband Frank is in a Detroit bank. Madge Fredrickson Larsen and family moved from Hurley, N.Y. to 912 Emory Lane, Raleigh, N.C. 27609 where her husband Larry had been transferred by IBM. Judy Janz Williams, 1967, is working at People's Hospital in Peru, Ill. Elaine Gosse Zaupt has been living in California for a year, Valerie Atkins Splavec lives in Stickney, Ill., has 2 sons. Charlene Berner Brandsey and her family, husband and 2 daughters have moved from a trailer into a home in Independence, Iowa. Her husband is an anesthetist. Joanne has 3 children and she is busy as well as having some interesting outside activities like archery.
- 1960—Barbara Reynolds VanDroof's husband was transferred to Chicago from Seattle, Wash. Currently she is a clinical instructor in Maternity Nursing at PSLH.
  - Kathleen Cummings Pinkerton and husband, Dr. John returned from Viet Nam in September. He is currently on the staff at Great Lakes.
  - Leone Mitchell Mitchell and family moved from Las Vegas, New Mexico to Iowa City, Iowa., where her husband can continue his studies for Doctorate in Psychology.

- Frances Winter Barnes decided it was time to report on the doings of the Barnes family and some classmates. They have bought a new home in Ft. Collins, Colo. Her husband is a sophomore in engineering. Cindy, 5 and Jim, 3 are attending Montessori pre-school. There are so many nurses there that she is working in a lab. of the plant science building at the University! Kay Brockway Barnes and family visited this past summer (the older Barnes live there), her husband is a resident in Seattle, David is 5 and Judy Kay, 3. Kay is working part time in a local hospital. Donna Mannel Wiencek and family also visited. Mel is with General Foods as an engineer, Phyllis, 5, Jeff, 4 and Douglas, 1 make up the family.
- Roberta Lakin is keeping busy at home with Gregg, three and Brian, 2 mo. but has not worked outside for  $3\frac{1}{2}$  years. Her husband, Mark, is in his last year of urology residency at S.U.I. Hospitals in Iowa City. In October, they plan to set up practice in or near Oak Park, Illinois.
- Becky Haigh Place recently moved to Marquette, Michigan where her husband is teaching at Northern Michigan. Becky will start to work soon as a nurse anesthetist for an oral surgeon.
- Patt Perry Alft recently moved to Alma, Michigan where her husband is a pilot. Son Eddy is four. Patt works part time two evenings a week.
- 1961—Lynn Barnes and Annabelle Janssen toured Europe arriving in Florence on November 3, 1966 just the day before the flood waters struck. They were appaled at the destruction. In a letter to her parents, Lynn confirmed the newspaper reports.
  - Brenda Kaysen is working at St. Joseph's in Joliet, Ill.
  - Elaine Danek Klenk and husband, Herb have bought a 14 year old home in Brookfield, Ill. and fixed it up. Herb is a sheet metal worker and Elaine is at LaGrange Community Hospital as IV nurse and assistant head nurse in central supply as well as helping in Intensive Care. She is a member of the Board of Directors and co-editor of the Newsletter for 19th Dist., INA.
- 1962—Mary Lee Bean Haas and family moved to Findley, Ohio in January. Her husband was transferred by AT&T.
- 1963—Diane Bonitzer graduated from University of Ill. with a BSN. She is currently employed at PSLH as a PM coordinator on 3rd Floor, Medical.
- 1964—Mary Jo Henning is at the VA hospital in Denver, Colo. She is in the kidney transplant unit. She is looking forward to the winter sports although she has never been on skis.
  - Susan Cupery Miller is in St. Louis Park, Minn. Her husband has a surgical residency at Hennepin County General. They see Carol Baitland Cavouras, 1959, and her husband frequently.
- 1965—Joyce Sass Geary, married August 6, 1966 is living in Sauk Village, Ill., and working at St. James Hospital, Chicago Heights as an assistant head nurse. Her husband is an electrician.
- 1966—Barbara E. Hughes is officially an Ensign in the Navy Nurse Corps.

  After completing four weeks of indoctrination at Newport, R.I., she is stationed at Naval Air Station Hospital in Quonset Point, R.I. She is enjoying her work there in OB Dept., and finds that her experience at PSLH has been very beneficial.
  - Jeanne Wallace is planning a June wedding to John Froh who will graduate from Loyola Dental School this June. Jeanne works at Highland Hospital.
  - Patricia Gabrielson will be married in April to Jack Zieler.

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# A WORD OF THANKS

A big thank you to all who sent news for this issue. It's' a great improvement over the past few issues. What you think is no great news, is most interesting to your classmates and friends who spot a name familiar to them. Keep it coming.



# COME ONE - COME ALL

Come to the Annual Alumni Banquet and encourage all your classmates to come also. You need not belong to the Alumni Association to enjoy the banquet with us. If you are a graduate from one of the three schools come and enjoy with us the festivities of the Annual Homecoming Day of Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing.



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# ALUMNI ANNUAL HOMECOMING DAY APRIL 20, 1967

Homecoming Day began with Hospital Tours, which were conducted by volunteers of the hospital, from 1-3 P.M. followed by the Homecoming Day Tea. The Tea was given by the School of Nursing in the South Lounge of the Nurses Residence from 3-5 P.M. Over 180 Alumni attended this lovely tea. Present at the Tea were Miss Henrietta Frohlke and Miss Madeleine McConnell, former Directors of Nursing, also among those present were Hulda Sjolander Winbough, Pres. class of 1915, and Mrs. Yellowlees Rider, St. Luke's class of 1908. Fond memories and renewed friendships were enjoyed by all who attended.

Our Homecoming Banquet was held at the Pick-Congress Hotel, and was attended by approximately 450 enthusiastic Alumni. Our honored guests were Miss Edith Payne, Director of School of Nursing, and the classes of 1917 and the Spring and Fall graduating classes of 1967. Those present

from the 1917 class were:

Helen Beemer Bausman	(P)	Christine Ludeman Lenzen	(P)
Virginia Billow	(SL)	Lillian Turner LaMar	(P)

Madeleine McConnell (SL) Martha Munro (SL)

Myrtle Peterkin (SL)

Julie Finleyson, Spring 1967 and Barbara Roessler, Fall 1967, repre-

sented their classes at the speakers table.

Miss Payne, Director of the School of Nursing extended greetings to the Alumni and related some enlighting and interesting facts concerning the School and the Nursing Profession. The following is a summary of her address:

Due to the vast changes in nursing and education in general the number of qualified applicants seeking admission to the Diploma Schools has been on the decrease, some of the reasons for this are:

- (1) the scholarship funds available to those seeking college education.
- (2) the increased number of college programs.
- (3) encouragement by high school counselors to qualified high school graduates to seek a college education.
- (4) the A.N.A. Position Paper, which takes the position that all nursing

education take place in institutions of higher education.

Because of the dirth of qualified applicants to Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing, we have been unable to fill a class for the fall of 1967. As present trends indicate the 1968 class will be the last class to graduate. Some of the possibilities being investigated for use of our facilities are and association with University of Illinois School of Nursing for a clinical experience program at Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital, and an affiliation with the Junior College, Associate Degree programs.

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The present staffing and salary scale at the hospital was related to the Alumni, and plans for the future include an active recruitment program for registered and licensed practical nurses. Miss Payne stated that we must continue to face facts, and continue to be among the leaders in our Profession.

Sincerely.

Kathryn Minor Gdalman, President

# ANNUAL BANQUET APRIL 20, 1967

It has been my privilege to serve the Alumni Association in many capacities and now as your President. We can be proud of our history, for we have graduated over 7000 professional nurses and provided many of the nursing leadership positions in the past three quarters century. The qualities inherent in our Alumni (2000 +) have been built on loyalty, professionalism and service. This is the spirit to which we have all been dedicated. This is the spirit that has made us excel in patient care, and our devotion to our professional tasks.

As your President, I have been made cognizant of the many issues and changes that are to affect the entire nursing profession. I have been made cognizant of the responsibilities facing our Alumni to meet these challenges. We must assume a positive position in making ourselves aware of the multiple problems and issues facing our profession, our school, and our Alumni. We must give profound thought to the solution of these major problems, to accommodate our efforts in achieving our aims.

The major distressing problem that confronts us today is immediate to us, but is national in scope. It is a result of influences and circumstances far beyond our control, our efforts and our direction. We must, positively recognize the realities of today, and set the direction for the future. To this end, I seek your cooperation and activity.

Notwithstanding near and future decisive events in Nursing, the Presbyterian-St. Luke's Alumni Association will endure. It shall be the signal responsibility of our Alumni to promulgate the spirit of our great association designated by loyalty, friendship, professionalism and service as a continuing exerting influence on the profession of nursing in the

present and future.

Thank you Mrs. Louis Gdalman

# SPRING GRADUATION

The Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing graduated 114 nurse interns on March 3 in ceremonies at the Fourth Presbyterian Church, Chicago.

The commencement address was given by Anne Zimmerman, executive administrator of the Illinois Nurses' Association. Diplomas and pins were presented to the graduates by Dr. James A. Campbell, M.D., president of

the hospital.

Awards for outstanding scholastic and professional achievement were Awards for outstanding scholastic and professional achievement were presented to 11 individuals at the senior breakfast. They included: Roberta West, the A. Watson Armour Memorial Award; Julianne Finlayson, the Mrs. John W. Gary Memorial Award; Sharon Runge, the Charles H. Schweppe Memorial Award; Willa Jo Elder, the Martha Highitt McCullough Memorial Award; Elizabeth Murray, the Mrs. Charles H. Morse Memorial Award; and Beverly McPheron, the Jean Schweppe Armour Memorial Award.

Janet Dubs received the Alumni Association of the School of Nursing Award; Janice Sipos, and Catherine Peck, Medical Staff Awards, and Sandra

Reich and Sue Zaeske, Woman's Board Awards.

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# LEGISLATION OF CONCERN TO NURSES MAY REQUIRE YOUR ACTION

During the month of April a number of bills were introduced into the General Assembly or were scheduled for hearings on which action by nurses might be appropriate.

INA supported the introduction of S 513, a measure to provide Good Samaritan protection to nurses through amending the Illinois Nursing Act.

The bill passed the Senate and goes now to the House. The bill declares that a professional nurse "who in good faith provides emergency care without fee at the scene of a motor vehicle accident or in case of nuclear attack shall not, as a result of his acts or omissions, except for wilful or wanton misconduct on the part of such person, in providing such care, be liable for civil damages."

During April also, INA announced opposition to S 553, a bill requiring persons who withdraw blood for blood tests or persons who give injections to be licensed under the Medical Practice Act or under the Illinois Nursing Act.

Reason for INA's opposition is that the bill would license persons to perform a single act and would initiate a trend to include specific functions in the definition of nursing practice. INA's philosophy is that the nursing law must be broad enough to permit flexibility in the utilization of nursing personnel and that the inclusion of specific acts to be licensed is contrary to the need for such flexibility. The measure is also opposed by the Illinois State Medical Society.

All nurses are asked to contact their representatives urging a "yes" vote on House Bills 255, 256, 257, 258, and 259. These amend the Illinois Municipal Code to provide increased taxes. Funds are needed if Illinois cities

are to continue to compete salarywise with other states.

An amendment to the Pension Code to penalize state employees by denying them retirement funds (S 118) is opposed by INA. The INA Committee on Legislation declared that the bill would descrive individuals of benefits, deprive public employees of the effective right to bargain collectively and to have a voice in their working conditions and would deter recruitment of quality public employees.

INA gave supporting testimony before the House Committee on Industry and Labor Relations on H 289, which would create a public employment labor act. It would grant public employees the right to bargain collectively with their employer, provides for mediation by a fact-finding board, whose decisions would not be binding, and prohibits strikes and lockouts during

INA expressed its position favoring collective bergaining. Its other principles, however, such as the option to give up the right to strike in favor of a binding settlement resulting from fact-finding are not in the bill.

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# IN MEMORIAM

# The Alumni Association wishes to convey deepest sympathy:

- to Sandra Parker Geyer (P.S.L.-1960) who lost her prematurely born son, Christopher in December, 1966.
- to Sue Lane McKenna (P.S.L.-1962) who recently lost her husband in a drowning accident in California.
- to the family and friends of Mary Law Folds (S.L.-1916) who passed away August 15, 1966, in Denver, Colorado.
- to Margaret Hoskins Andrews (1916) in the loss of her husband, Harris, in February, 1967.
- to the family and friends of Josephine Hawes Hardwicke (S.L.-1908) who died at Derby on the Lake in New York. She was 80 years old and had suffered a long illness. She was a former director of branch organization for the Buffalo Red Cross Chapter.
- to Carol Eicher Schmeckpeper (S.L.-1959) who lost her 21/2 month old son Jonathan Allen of bronchial pneumonia, on April 22, 1967.
- to Virginia Trimayne (Pres. 1929) whose son Major James Trimayne was killed in Viet Nam in April, 1967.

# **BIRTHS**

The Alumni Association wishes to congratulate the following parents:

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edens (Bev Burton 1963)
—Evelyn Emily on December 15, 1966

Dr. and Mrs. Warren Lowry (Carolyn De Young, 1960)

—Laura Jane on October 4, 1966

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hynes (Jo Ella Robinson, 1961)

—Julia Marie on Sept. 20, 1966 Mr. and Mrs. Stan Lourimore (Louella Gamble, 1955B)

—Patricia Lou on March 27, 1967 Dr. and Mrs. Harry O. Channon (Frances Cevela, 1964)

-Gretchen Luella on March 23, 1967

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rabold (Carolyn Robbel, 1964)
—William Howard on February 23, 1967

Mr. and Mrs. Sedlock (Kristin Johnson, 1963)
—Robert Richard on September 28, 1966

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Naugle (Trudy Moser, 1958)

—Mark Kevin on March 27, 1967

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rebstock (Jean Trantow, 1952B)
—Mary Jean adopted on March 16, 1967

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Ferry (Marilyn Cruickshank, 1965)
—Dana Sue on March 13, 1967

Mr. and Mrs. John Weszely (Lorraine Bara, 1963)

—Heidi Marie on March 13, 1967 Mr. and Mrs. James Chaffin (Nancy Pierceall, 1962)

—James Stan on October 23, 1966

Mr. and Mrs. James Yockey (1961)
—Jerry Roy on January 1, 1967

# WEDDINGS

Nancy Horrell (1960) to Mr. McNamara
—August, 1966

Gail Johnson (1966) to Mr. Leonard Schauer
—November 5, 1966

Sandra Maurey (1964) to Dr. Edward Samples

—January 21, 1967

Anne Louise Keller (1953B) to George Galieba
—March 3, 1967

# **CLASS NEWS**

1915—Hulda Sjolander Winbaugh reports a pleasant reunion in Florida with Florence Stioson Coppinger and Jessie Calkins Theige and the death of a classmate, May Johns Wurster.

1917—Helen Bausman will spend May and June in Portugal and Spain.

L. Jessie LaMar is still working full-time and will continue to be proud

of her Alma Mater.

1920—Hilda Ellis Schulze was a patient in Passavant Hospital in March, 1967.

Luella Bailey Burns has returned from a South Sea Islands cruise and a month in Hawaii.

Bea Stewart Fudony writes that she misses her European trip due to several slight strokes.

1927—Mary Amesbury and husband were gone for several months in 1963— Europe, Hawaii and Mexico. They now live in Caldwell, Idaho. Last December, they visited their son in Thailand.

1929B—Lillian Jordon O'Neal writes that they have many midwestern guests in Lake Oswego, Oregon. In October 1966 Lela Meverden Henke (1927) and husband visited a few days on their way to California. March, 1967 brought Ruth Carr Holton (1920) for 2 weeks. In August they're expecting Ethel Bloomquist. She visits by phone frequently with Ethel Limlika Cole (1924). Ethel still does private duty nursing in Portland. In the Drs. office one day Lillian met Mary Elizabeth Walling (1947). They hope to get together again. The O'Neals love Oregon and have met many new friends there. They welcome any alumni in the area to visit.

Esther Severance Naylor-Private duty-P. St. L. 4 children, youngest James graduates from college June, 1967—Older daughter, R.N. Children's Hospital, L. A.: 2nd daughter, married, son, finishing law 1967; Older son in business college 35 mos.

1931-Marjorie Marshall-Head Nurse at American Can Company.

1932—Stella Engel New—"I'm celebrating my 35th year as a graduate and wish it were my 10th. I have been doing school nursing for 5 years and love it."

Alice Norbeck White-"Glory be after 35 years, it's still fun to be with

the St. Luke's friends."

Emma Erickson Craven-Living in California. Loves to return every 10

years to see classmates. "Sorry there weren't more here."

Florence Koch—"It's been a great life which has been very good to me. Have been in administration for 25 years, when not traveling in U.S. or abroad."

Fern Ingleman Hlavac-"It was such a thrill to have classmates of my own to spend my 35th year with. I live in the Chicago area and so am usually the only one from my class here. I have been working part time in OB new born nursery since the merger of Pres.-St. Luke's, and I love my work." 1933—Dorothy Metcalfe Kallay is an industrial nurse.

1934—Marguerite Kilgas—"Was glad to attend with my daughter and especially to show off my grandson, this afternoon at the tea. Still living in Michigan and loving it."

Earlaine Russ Braun-Dr. Braun has now retired and Dr. Leslie Braun, Jr. has taken over the Dental Practice. Plan to spend winters in Tucson and summers in Canada.

1942-La Vonne Kirchner Pollack-Doing Public Health in Will County.

Mary Rammer Johnson says "Keep in touch-for 50th!"

Lois Peterson Tasch-Works at Culver Military Academy Health Center. Elizabeth Kerr-Prof. at College of Medicine, University of Iowa.

Charlotte Larson Lutz-Working in office of an OB-Gync. Dr.

L. Virginia Mott Philip-School Nursing.

Marguerite Knox Smiter has been living in the Denver area but will move to Illinois when school is out. Her six children are 9-18.

The following members of the class of 1942 attended homecoming: Marjorie Hodges, Mildred Helm Riska, Alice Skee Henderson, Bettie Kettering Shafransky, Amy Williams Mitchell, Ann Grier Herbst, Anna Glason Hinderlie, Ilene Anderson Foulke, Mary Ward Emby and Louise Voderberg Plohn.

1943-A-Frances Gedda-is the Assistant Professor of Medical-Surgical Nursing at Loyola University School of Nursing until June of this year.

Lillian Farrell-is the O.R. Supervisor at Children's Memorial and writes that she is ready to take another trip to Europe.

Helen Konstogiannis Seiden Denton, at VA Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio hopes that as many of the class as possible can attend the 25th Anniversary Homecoming in 1968. Unable to make it again this year. Lost her mother in January, 1967. Hello to everyone.

1944-A-Marion Etten-is now the Director of Health Service and Instructor of Health Education at Illinois Teachers College-North.

1945-A-Virginia Kagen-has two boys and a girl and is now doing Bookkeeping and Secretarial work because it pays more. (Hired because she was a St. L. Grad!)

1948-B-Dorothy Mennecke Bonthron-is living in Elmhurst and has two young sons, Scott 2, and Brett 4 months.

1948—Betty L. Perry—Will anyone from the fall class of Presbyterian (1948) please contact me. Next year is our 20th anniversary.

1949-B-Barbara Trethewey Kelly-now lives outside of Philadelphia and is an office nurse for a Pediatric Allergist.

Ruth Bonthron—is the Assistant Professor of Public Health Nursing at the University of Illinois.

1953-A-Nancy Stark Elliott-has three children-Patty in 8th grade, Doug in 7th and Susan in Kdg. Her husband is a 727 Pilot. Right now she is assisting the nurse at school.

Georgia Zupan Brnot-Besides taking care of her children Cathy 11, Susan 9. Ricky 7, and Linda 5, she is doing private duty nursing at Lake Forest Hospital.

Barbara Weidman Clements-is looking forward to a vacation in Florida as soon as school is out and plans to see Expo 67 in Montreal. Her children are Mike 12, Cathy 7, and Patty 3.

Arlene Lenzini Nannini-has two sons Alan 10 and Richard 9. Is the

school nurse at Highwood in Highland Park, Ill.

Joan McAlpin Hodnik-Doing private duty at Lake Forest Hospital. Her children are Freddy 11, Susie 9 and Nancy 41/2. They plan on going to California this summer for their vacation.

1953B-Anne Keller Galieba and husband live in Streator, Illinois where she works at St. Mary's Hospital. She still spends a week-end a month

in Chicago with the USAF nurse reserve corps.

1954-Esther Chavez Alferivic-Name spelled wrong in Alumni News & Views. Get my War Bond for having worked at USL for the last 10 years—Hooray!

Audrey Charneski-On LOA from PSL-attending Loyola University.

Ellen Plank-Working in clinic-attending school part time.

Elizabeth Law-Doing public health nursing for DuPage County Health Dept.

1955-Sandy Heacok Andrews-4 children. Husband is a busy G.P.

Marcia Waterman Thorpe—Husband is cubmaster and Marcia is Den mother. Both active in cubscouting with 8 and 9 year old boys. 61/2 year old daughter plays the feminine part. Hopes to be a school nurse in village next year.

Daxine Dobslaw Dust—2 children (10 and 7). "Loves to go antique (junk) collecting."

Helen Stefan Lucas-8 week old Ronny keeps family on toes. Others are 8, 4 and 2.

Lois Eisner—Working at PSL on Infection Survelliance—not strictly nursing but good hours and pay.

JoAnn Ardisana—Four children ages 8, 5, 3 and 1.

1956-Barbara Vestal Larsen-Busy with four pre-schoolers.

Ruth Nickel Skulina and Merel Schmittler-"We, again, were the only ones to represent our Class at Homecoming. We miss the others. How about 1968?"

Delores Heizler Linnik broke her arm ice skating in January, but took

a trip to Florida in January anyhow.

1957-Marita Murray-Is a bank nurse for The Northern Trust Company. Virginia Tronc Creek-Wesley is 2-Working full time 3-11 at Burnham City Hospital in Champaign.

Shirleymae Korodi Yahl—Kevin 8, Karin 5—working 2 Saturdays a

month for family doctor.

Joyce Fuller Roberts-Has been a Med-Surg, instructor for the past

3 years at Copley Memorial Hospital in Aurora.

Anne DeHock DeLano—Husband Dick is a horticulturist on WBBM and UMBI on radio and WGN and WBKB-TV. Joanie 4 years and Calvin 3 months.

Virginia Leu-Nursing Coordinator on 2 Jones.

Virginia Novak Diaz-Husband is a urologist. Suzie 4½, Danny 3 and

Al 2-No. 4 due in June.

Kathleen Larson McAndrew-Busy taking care of four children-Michael 4, Tommy 1, Tierna 51/2, and Taicia 3. Working few hours in surgeon husband's office.

Mabel Blakely Behles-Doing private duty. Seven young excuses for

not working full time.

Carolyn Wessel Helf—Working for ten years this year at PS&L. 3 LOA'S—3 children—Paula, 7, Jeffrey, 6, Kurt, 6 months.

1957-Robin Novak Bonertz writes that it's high time, particularly since 1967 marks our tenth anniversary; the class of 1957 submits some information to our "Alumni News and Views"

As of Dec., 1966, Robin Novak Bonertz and family has been living in Oakland, Calif., where her husband George is currently stationed as a Lt. Commander in the U. S. Navy. Since her husband was unexpectedly drafted into the Military, they have had much arranging and adjusting to do, but find California an interesting place in which to live. They have two boys, David, aged five, and Mark, aged one, and intend to return to Hinsdale, Ill. in two years, where George will resume his OB-Gyn. practice. Their address is:

201 Covington St., Oakland, Calif. 94605 Since their arrival to California, they have had an opportunity of visiting with Sondra Forgeon Orup and family which consists of Kristie, aged seven, and Lisa, aged two. Hans has a private practice in OB-Gyn near the San Jose area. The Orups address is: 5511 Slaron Lane, San Jose, Calif. 95124

Recently the Orups visited Joy Gillfillan Quinn in southern Calif. where Roger is stationed as an officer in the U.S. Navy. After his two year tour of duty, Roger plans to return to his OB-Gyn residency which was interrupted by Uncle Sam. They have two young daughters under five years of age. The Quinn's present address is:

1204 Rigel Dr., Pt. Mugu, Calif.

The Bonertzs also met with Bobby Sexton Olson and husband, Chuck. who are living in Modesto, Calif., where Chuck is engaged in a surgical practice. They have three children and enjoy living in California immensely. The Olson's address is:

609 Westchester Ct., Modesto, Calif. 95350

Well, girls, that's news from the west coast-we're now waiting for the Midwest to respond.

Barbara Langguth Goeddeke-Living in Medinah, Ill. Has three girls,

Lori 8, Terri 5, and Joni Lee 2.

Lillian Tapia Longinow-Has three boys-Michael 61/2, Ted and Nick, 4 yr. old twins. Anticipate returning to nursing when all three are attending school.

Diane Greenberg Cazallis—Has two boys 3½ and 7 mos. Not working. Joanna Domko Khoury-Has two boys and one girl 81/2, 21/2 and 16

mos. Not working.

Joyce Pinney Peotter—Has one girl 8 years one boy 3 years. Part-time 3-11-Medical-Surgical.

Emily Hand Hughes-Office nursing.

Shirley Tetsshinger Auck—Has one boy 13 mos. old. Works occasionally in doctor's office.

Jackie Conner McCarty-Has two boys 6 yrs. and 8 wks. and one girl 4. Temporarily unemployed.

Mary Ann Schuneman Ohner—Has one boy 8 yrs. and girl 5 yrs. Working part-time in O.B.

Shirley Smith Hudson-Has girl 21/2 yrs. and one boy 11/2 yrs. old Not working.

Joan Baley Passarelli-Has two boys 71/2 yrs. and 6 yrs., one girl 6 mos. Working part-time I. V. therapy.

Nancy Vena O'Connor—Has three boys 9, 8 and 7 yrs. and one girl  $1\frac{1}{2}$  yrs. old. Does occasional private duty.

Lois Cooke Wetzel-Two sons-Len 6 and Nate 3. Husband Dick working towards PhD at I.I.T. Active in church youth work.

Nancy Nelson Johnston—Children are Mike 7½, Jim 6, and Julie 2. Not working now-enjoying being able to have more time with my family and church activities.

Sylvia Jean Friske May-Two sons-Kevin 7 and Ross 5. Husband is head swimming coach at Guildford. Working part-time as a School Nurse on Head Start Followup.

Joan Sutcliffe Schalk-Has one daughter Barbara 3. Not working at present.

Nancy Dever Waddell-One son Tommy 51/2-two girls Kelly 4 and Cary 1. No. 4 due anyday. Not working.

Mary Lou Rowley Stern-Living in Denver-has one girl, Lisa 3, two sons, Paul 2 and Tommy 1. Taking part-time courses.

Doris Langhout Krabbe-Don is Naval Chaplain in New Jersey. Has two girls and one boy.

1958-Caryl Neu Druley-We have just built our dream house and are moved in with our wonderful 23 month old adopted Kenneth Robert. Now awaiting the arrival of a little girl.

Sheryl Woody Linsermayer-Was married August 27, 1966. Husband Bob is an exporter with Borg-Warner Int'l. I am teaching at Chicago Wesley Memorial-Team leading and disaster nursing.

Irene Lyons Chervenak-3-11 Emergency nurse in Memorial Hospital,

Elmhurst. Has two children.

Gaile Dimmick Borchart-Husband Gene is a Radiologist at Lutheran General Hospital in Park Ridge. Have four children, Holly 6½, Scott 5½, Wendy 3½ and Kathleen Yvonne born Sept. 26, 1966.

Mary Glorio Rosinia—Am developing new hobby—painting. Husband is busy practicing dentistry. Have home—three children. Twins will

be starting school in Fall.

Caryl Bantz Schulz-After three moves in three years am finally back in Chicago area. Have two girls and planning to go bock to nursing in next one or two years.

Dorothy Rehm Danley-Husband Dave is a sales engineer for American Optical Co. Have three children. Hope to buy a home this year or

early next year.

Dee Dorn Janette-Working 1 - 3 P.M.'s per week at Children's Memorial Hospital, Mary now 3 and Adam 20 months. Joe practicing

dentistry in Northwest Chicago.

Kathy Krohm Miller-Just moved into new home which we built ourselves. 5 days later acquired new baby. No. 2 Sally Beth a sister for Jeff. Keeping busy with house and children. Hope to go back to work soon.

Susan Christiansen McGranaham-Working full time as O. R. Supervisor at Mary Thompson Hospital. Part time mother for 5 yr. old

daughter Corie. Bruce working on his MBA.

Gail Parves Geath-Jim is completing his orthopedic residency in July. Will go into practice in Waukegan, Ill. Now have four little ones, Lisa, Jimmy, Julie and Jeffrey.

Joyce Reiner Ewert—Busy at home with David 3 yrs. and Sherri 9 mos.

Working part-time at Elmhurst Hospital.

- Sandra Bean Scheffel-Bought our home in February of 1966. Ken and I are busy with the house and three boys, Stevie 5 yrs., Scottie 4 yrs. and Randy 2 yrs.
- Barbara Reynolds Van Droof-Working at PSL as O.B. instructor. Van is in the National Teacher's Corps, and we are busy working with disadvantaged children and community work in spare time. One son Kurt, 3 yrs. and expecting second in October. Back in Chicago since July 1966.
- Donna Mannel Wrencik-Working part-time at St. James Hospital. Expecting baby No. 4 about October 1.
- Sara Bradley Rausch-Temporarily retired from psychiatric nsg. to care for Brian, adopted in Oct. 1966. Spending spare time working with children from disadvantaged homes.
- Barbara McCarty Kohout—Expecting No. 5 in May. Eddie 51/2 yrs, in kindergarten. Twins Laure and Larry, 4 yrs. and Kimberly 2 yrs.
- 1958-P—Hertha Gast is at Wayne State University in Detroit studying child psychiatric nursing. She hopes to receive her Masters Degree in December, 1967.
  - Jan Hammond keeps busy at home with Monique six and Mitchell almost one. Chuck is Chief of OB-Gyne at Patterson Army Hospital and they live in New Jersey, close enough to enjoy some of New York City's activities.
  - Ruth Mickley Smith and family, living now in Delaware. Still keep busy with their foster children and now they're raising dogs and showing them too.
  - Carol Seiwell and family have built a home in Silver Spring, Maryland. 3 pre-school sons keep her quite busy. Burt is doing data processing at the National Institution of Health's Cancer Research Center.
  - Barb Rick Murphy and family are settled in Washington, D. C. for a while we hope. Jim was chosen for a Congressional Fellowship and will be on the staff with a Senator and Representative for nearly a year while writing his PhD. dissertation. Christin is now 3 and Elizabeth 1.

Betty Brinkman Best and family will be moving to Manitowoc this July where John will be joining a multi-specialty group. It will be good

to have them close again.

Sara Taylor will soon have a classmate nearby to inform us of the Taylors now and then. Judy Thomas and family have moved to Indianapolis where Tom will be in charge of the All-State office there. These are busy moving days for them and know they will enjoy all being under the same roof again, without Tom traveling back and forth.

Trudy Moser Naugle and family are busy looking for a home around the Chicago area. Herb has been moved back here to do some counselling on pre-release basis from penitentiaries. He was a case worker in

Marion, Illinois.

Kate Borgsmiller keeps very busy with her 4 little ones at home. She is a stand-by civil defense nurse but otherwise retired for a few years. Dick 41/2, Jane 31/2, Johanna 2 and Julie 8 months are the Borgsmiller children.

Sandy Hill says they're permanently in Springfield, Ill. She keeps busy with Laurie, in kindergarten, and Amy almost a year old. She plays

bridge, bowls and is active in pharmaceutical auxiliary.

Carol Nelson is busy with their new home. Nancy is in Kindergarten and David is just envious. Carol keeps busy at many community

projects.

Teckla Leyerle does much traveling with her husband. Seems they're always on the go. They have had several trips to visit relatives too. Jamie, 3, often travels with them. Home base is suburban Kansas City.

Polly Mayes felt relieved of the "Minnie" letter this past trip around.

She still keeps busy with many projects however.

Sylvia Ryan has been doing school nursing. Jon is principal of a new high school with 1400 students. Tim is 6, Steve, 5, and Kathy, 2.

Mary Jane Kehle keeps busy in Phoenix with various church activities and helps in Paul's office at times too. Beth is 5 and Deborah 2.

Kathy Rees keeps very busy in San Diego with their newly purchased Spanish-type home. Gary is out at sea in a submarine periodically. The family was taken on a "dependent's cruise" and had their lunch while submerged.

Helen Hendricks finished her Master's Degree in June, 1965. She is doing work in group and individual psychotherapy as past masters

work. She drives a sporty red convertible.

Pat Miller has purchased a home and she and son Mark plan to keep this their permanent residence. Pat has been supervisor for a Pacific Telephone Medical Department for 2 years. Delores Goodfellow and husband hopefully will have a sailboat for this

summer. Next letter we'll know for sure where they'll be sailing.

1959—Rose Cernocky Gregory—Working part time PSLH. 2 children—
RoseMarie, 5½ and Michelle, 4.

Gail Thornton Brunson—Working port-time at Gottlieb Memorial Hospital. 2 children, Dave 4 and Karen 2.

Carolyn Bingley Merville—Working part-time at Victory Memorial in Waukegan-1 child, Lottie Ann 3.

Barbara Bletsch Blust-Not working-just a housewife. 3 children, Susan

5½, Ralph 3½, Jacqueline 1 year. Shirley Anderson-Housewife with 3 children. Had a trip to Scotland

and England last fall. Also, plays golf.

1960-Vicki Fisher Urban-July '66 returned from 2 years in Army with husband, who now has general surgical private practice in Oak Forest—Joe 6, Stevie 5 and No. 3 in May. Mother doing well after total colectomy in January.

Carolyn DeYoung Lowry-Warren at PSL in 2nd year of Urology

residency. Ruth Elizabeth 3 and Laura Jane 6 months.

Sandra Humbracht Kenyon-Husband Warren is a cattle dealer -Natalee 4, Stephanie 2.

Evelyn Leistra Carder-Jimmy 3. They have a 8 mo. old foster child, Linda Sue.

Sandra Fukert Geyer-Lost prematurely born son, Christopher in Dec., 1966. Has 2 other children.

Nancy Horrell McNamara-Married in August, 1966. Moved to New York in January.

Barbara Phillips Young-Working full time at Carthage Hospital and going to school for a B.S. degree-Center of her attention taken up by 18 mo. old George.

Marilyn Williams Holt-Roger is a medical student at U. of Illinois.

2 boys-3½ and 5 mos.

Pat Snider Lehman-Phil a high school teacher. Betsy 5 and David 3. Working part-time for 2 G.P.'s.

Jeanette Uhrie Strait-Richard practicing dentistry in Bourbon. Working

as school nurse.

1961—Phyllis Hansen Thompson—Recently bought home in LaGrange. Two girls 2 and 3 keeping her busy. No nursing at present.

Brenda Jorgensen Kaysen-Doing part time work on a surg unit at St. Joseph's in Joliet. 3 children and new home keeping her busy.

Barbara Wallace-Part-time work in Psychiatry.

Judy Fairchild Schmisseur-Bob back from year in Viet Nam. Starting 3 year preceptionship in Orthodontia in Champaign. Working full time in IT and Cardiology unit at Carle. 3 children.

Connie Mallich Brown—Working full time in OR at PSL—Husband 1st year Surgical resident. First baby due in November.

Lynn Barnes—Returned in December after spending 3 months in Europe.

Doing private duty since January. Attempting to decorate first unfurnished apartment.

Joyce Wacaser—Now living in Mercy Staff Apartments. Moving to Hines VA Hospital in July, where her husband starts his 5th year in Neuro-Surgery. Giving up nursing for modeling.

Lindy Lewis—Has 3 girls (6-5-3) "Hope yet to complete my nurse's

training-8 months to go!"

Shirley Wudtke Carlson-Son, 6 months old. Just bought 1st homebusy decorating and gardening. Working part-time in large medical

offices facility.

Edith Gruenek Thomas writes that 1967 seems much better for their family so far than was 1966. In 1966 she and her husband both had infectious hepatitis. In Nov. she had some major abdominal surgery done. During the Christmas holidays her sister Nelda Gruener Freiburger (1954A) and family visited with them from Arcadia, California. In August the Thomas' are planning a trip to California. Daughter Madonna, 5, will begin school in the fall.

Madonna Whistler Bixler is living in Jeffersonville, Indiana. They have

2 children, Jack Jr. and Susan.

Sue Purvis Simancek-Two little boys Mark 3, and Timmy 1. Looking forward this winter to a vacation in Florida.

Judith Dembrow—Has a son Jonathon 10 mos. Presently retired.

Judy Yockey writes from Shelbyville, Ill., where her husband is a funeral director. They now have 3 sons, Jeff 5, Jack 3, and Jerry 6 months. She will again start working part-time in the summer.

1962—Sandy Detrick Koehler—Enjoying seeing ol' cronies—still have 2 children and live on farm, have large garden on L.O.A. from

Linda Avery-In school at Chicago Circle, part-time at ISPI.

Joan Hellerman-Back at PSLH. Enjoy working in Anesthesia Dept.

very much. Luann (Stein) Wilkie—A little bright-eyed girl brightens our days in Elmwood Pk., Ill.-Working part-time on a new Psych. Unit at MacNeal, Berwyn.

Arlene (Chaloupka) Paras-Retired-Had Sandy in April, 1966. Living in Berwyn.

Alta Sherwin-Working in T.T.S. at Pres.-St. Luke's.

Pat D. Daley-Working at Chicago Foundlings, just behind PSL-Come and visit all.

Nancy Pierceall Chaffin has been working 2-3 days a week doing private duty since James was born in October and kept her at home 'til January. She finds private duty quite different from being head nurse.

1962-Have word that Linda Haskins Burnside is in Boston. He's at Mass. Gen., she's at Boston Children's. Both look good.

Linda Rollins-"Still a career girl." Working for 3 internists in Hyde Park. Heard from Barb Gremillion. She's getting married May 20th to an old flame from training. She'll be moving back to San Francisco.

Margie Flynn-Lives at PSLH staff apts. Husband Radiology resident.

Has 3 boys.

Carol Eddy Newkirk-Living in Rockford. Has a 3 year old girl. Working full time in intensive care at Swedish American Hospital.

Sally McGinnis Ciasto. Has 3 children. Barb Collins (Jones) is in Texas. Coming to St. Louis in July.

Linda Belknap—Working at PSL in Psych. Single and traveling a lot. Judy Donovan-Head nurse on a 42 bed Surgical unit at West Suburban Hospital in Oak Park.

Nancy Heitman Sabin—Has a 9 month old son. Not doing nursing.

Beth Swanson Athanasopoolos—Coordinator on 4 Jones PSL.

Mary Jo Corboy-"Working part time at Children's Hospital OPD-ER in St. Louis. Husband an Ophthalmology resident at Barnes. Will be moving to San Francisco, Calif. in July, one month before our first baby is due. Heard from Sally Scott Cope-2 sons and husband in Hawaii-will soon join up with Uncle Sam in Honolulu. Had a wonderful visit with Mary Lee Bean and 2 daughters and hubby in St. Louis. Visited Lynn Haskins Burnside and Jean Wienderheft Balmforth in Boston—a great reunion."

Carol Kipp—Working in birthrooms at PSL—3 - 11.30.

Sue Lane McKenna-Lost her husband in a drowning accident in California recently.

Sally Tyler Kourousis-Living in Fairfield, Iowa. Has a 15 month old

son Teddy.

Rosemary Gilbert—Head nurse in Cardiac unit in Mountain View, Calif. Donna Frohm Haberlein and husband Gary will be returning from a year plus in Belgium.

Norma Bulman will be returning in June after 3 years in Asyret, Egypt. Bev Wagner-Taking an intensive Spanish course in Denver, Colorado and will soon go to South America as a Mormon Missionary.

1963-Susan Ruder Taylor-and husband Jerry have an addition to family-Gerald Howard born December 30, 1956.

Jan Pratt Hart—and husband Jon have a son Peter Craig born April

3, 1967.

Rita Sovey Melin-and husband Jon have a son born in February, 1967, Kristopher Elliott.

Marsha Hunt Collins-Daughter Karin Ann born January 9, 1967. Not working-busy with David 2 and baby. Live in Kankakee, Ill.

Marge Hilberg Kolb-and husband Bill living in Elmhurst, Ill. Working in E.R.

Bonnie Moore Strejc-Still in Lombard. Kristen 21/2, Jill Marie 1 yr. Work one day week E.R.—Gottlieb Hospital.

Sandy Shewalter Johnson-Living in Geneva with husband Paul and daughter Barbara 21/2. Work 3 PM's a week at Community Hosp.

Diane Bonitzer-Going to Europe April 28th for 3 weeks. Still a coordinator on days 3 East Pav. Medicine. Linda Ingiald Swenson—Lives in Genoa City, Wisc. Husband Lee works

for Chicago & Northwestern Railroad in Harvard, Ill. Not working at present. Daughter Laurie Lynn is 20 mos. old. Expecting in August

Charleen Weinert Prill-and husband Ron are still living in Bensenville, Ill. Is working as head nurse in ICU at Elmhurst Hospital.

Cathy Fritz-still working at Youngstown Steel.

Linda Hendricks Smith-One son Jeff 14 mos.-working part time at Riverside Hospital.

Sue Cochran—still working in chronic disease hospital.

Sharon Lugar Ferguson—Two Children, Debbie 3, David 11/2. Working part-time Cardiovascular Unit-St. Catherine Hospital, E. Chicago, Ind.

Nancy Lucht Norder-Working in Surgeon's office in Kankakee.

Mary Ann Kloc Sellers-One child, Janeen 21/2, expecting second in June. Working private duty at PSLH.

Kristin Johnson Sedlock and family are now living in a new home in Homewood and they are enjoying fixing it up.

1964—Jack Thiel—Now serving with Civil Medical Corps in Viet Nam. Been there about 1 yr. Seems to be serving more as a Dr. than a nurse.

Hazel Olson—Working at Sherman Hosp., Elgin in emergency room and nursing office. Linda Wallin married Bob Bahrey on April 15. Honeymooning in Jamaica-Cherri Wheeler Baer and Susan Cupery Miller were there—Nancy Naviaux and Marilyn Fink Trusheim were in wedding party. Marie Durr '63 living in Grinnell, Iowa, working in Hospital there. Sharon Metcalf Howe '66 working at Sherman, also Anita Ris Burke '64.

Ruth Weiss Darling—Scot Alan born Oct. 28, 1966. Looking forward to spending another summer at the YMCA Wilderness Canoe Base in

Minnesota which my husband runs for the Y.

Donna Tuel Powers—Working in I. T.

Beverly Templin Steiniman—Married David '64 Intern PSL. Leslie

Jeanne born Oct. 7, 1966. Enjoyed working first year of marriage

with husband in pilot health program in Eastern Kentucky poverty

pocket. (Public Health Service).

Carole Svenson England-Family increased again within past year-Suzanne Carole born Oct. 17, 1966. Husband, Ron, has dental

practice in Addison, Ill.

Sandra Wright Berge-Presently Freshman Clinical Instructor at PSL until July. Expecting first child. Husband finishing Master's at George Williams College in Downers Grove. Will continue in YMCA work.

Susan Filson Sandeman-1st child, Robert Scott born March 22nd. Husband Steve is in mortuary practice with father in Oak Lawn.

Nancy Camp Ison-Working part time for 3 doctors in Olympia Fields. Has one son, Murray Bruce, 19 mos. Husband Murray, employed at Leo Burnett Adv. agency.

Dorothy Bangs-Working as PM Co-ordinator in Psychiatry at PSLH. Joan Haug D'Agostino—Attending U of I at Chicago Circle Campus— Husband is Psych. Resident at NPI.

Nancy Erickson Drechen-Working at PSLH Coordinator in Psychiatry

12 South.

Barbara Crafts Anderson-Presently working on BS in Nsg. Husband Raymond is in the Navy. Have son Raymond Paul 11/2 yrs. old. Cheryle Eyerly Sellards-and husband Dr. Grady Sellards will be return-

ing to PSLH in June.

Janet Cooper Piggott-Work for Blue Cross-Blue Shield Medicare.

Nancy Fairchild Pascoe-Working at PSL in psychiatry-moving to Cincinnati, Ohio in June.

Bobbie Fammaus Fyfe-Working at Lying-in Hospital-Has a little girl. Cheryl Steele Steer-Living in Toledo, Ohio and has a little girl.

Barbara Wiebel Parker-Working at Carle Hosp. in Champaign while husband is attending U. of I.

Sharon Hauseman Kitchenmaster-Working in LaPorte, Ind.-General Floor duty.

Kay Gilmour Loftus-Working at ISPI (Chgo.) and expecting in September. Husband Don getting Masters Degree in Hosp. administration. Moving to Texas in September.

Donna Lee Doughty Ferguson-Jennifer Lynn born Feb. 24, 1967.

Husband John working for Fidesta Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Pam-Whinnin Schultz-Married in November. Working in OR at PSL. Husband George working for Jewel Food Store. Linda Burnat—Working in OR at Mercy Hosp.—Gary.

Dawn Lueck Stolzman-Work in Pediatrics at Appleton Hem. Hosp. 1964—Sue Stuckey Schmeda lives in New York with her husband, Jill Elizabeth age 2 and Peter John, 1 month.

1966-Jean Krueger-"While being oriented to Passavant Hospital, I was privileged to care for Dr. Karl Menninger before starting in psych."

1967—Faye Ellen Fatz—Enlisted in U.S. Air Force. Will take 3 weeks basic training in Shepherds A. F. Base in Wichita Falls, Texas. After 6 mos. working in the States, I will apply for flight nurse training program.

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### CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME TO THE SEPTEMBER 1967 GRADUATES

Dear Graduates,

On behalf of the Board of Directors and members of the Presbyterian-St. Lukes Hospital School of Nursing Alumni Association, I congratulate you upon your graduation and welcome you to courtesy membership in the Alumni Association for the remainder of the year. You are among fellowship of Alumni numbering over 2,000 located throughout the world.

Today, in this ever changing and creative world, the completion of this phase of your nursing education leads to many new fields and specialization. Whatever your chosen specialty the Alumni Association hopes that you experience deep satisfaction and happiness.

The qualities inherent in our Alumni have been built on *loyalty*, friendship, professionalism, and service. This is the spirit to which we have all been dedicated and will continue to be dedicated as we face the many challenges in the present and future.

In closing I wish to leave this thought with you. The Alumni Association of Presbyterian-St. Lukes Hospital School of Nursing is YOUR organization. Its past is resplendent with accomplishment, its future will depend upon you.

Cordially yours, (Mrs.) KATHRYN GDALMAN President

#### WEDDINGS

Sandra Maurey, 1964 to Dr. Edward Samples
—on January 21, 1967—

#### IN MEMORIAM

The Alumni Association wishes to convey deepest sympathy

- to the family and friends of Cynthia Hennessy (1932) who died suddenly of a heart attack in May, 1967.
- to the family and friends of Gertrude Sillar who passed away in April, 1967, in Santa Barbara, California.
- to the family and friends of Grace Mersen Van Hazel (Pres.) who passed away this Spring.
- to the family and friends of Cora Johnson Anderson (Pres. 1907) who died June 25, 1967, after a short illness.
- to the family and friends of Theodora Townsend Starnes (Pres. 1907) who passed away July 31, 1967.

#### YOUR SLIP IS SHOWING

Your slip is showing—but only to you this time. Many of you may wonder why news you've sent has not appeared in the "News and Views". I will list a few possibilities of why you may not have found your news:

- 1. All news must have full name-first, maiden, last.
- 2. Class year must be given.
- 3. School graduated from-before 1960 group.
- 4. For births, we would like the husbands full first name included.
- 5. Marriages must include full names of both parties and the date of the wedding.
- 6. Death notices should have the date as close as possible to when the person deceased.
- 7. All news should be written as legible as possible. We love your news but some is very difficult to read.

The above list gives a pretty good idea of what we'd like. We really need lots of news from all of you to make this publication a success. Maybe some have given up sending news because it doesn't appear. One of the above may be the reason. Please send us your news and try to help us by following the above suggestions.

#### BIRTHS

Dr. and Mrs. Conrad Urban (Vicki Fisher, 1960)
—Jeffrey Todd on May 9, 1967—

Dr. and Mrs. Stan Olson (Jeannine Brandt, 1962)
—David Alan on May 21, 1964—

Dr. and Mrs. Robert T. Bass (Marilyn Hawk, 1960)

—Robert Thomas Jr. on July 10, 1967—

Mr. and Mrs. May O. Welz (Joyce Rukaber, 1953)
—Rebecca Lynn on July 17, 1967—

Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Earleywine (Arlene Paris, 1957)
—Timothy Jud on December 28, 1966—

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin (Patricia Means, 1954)
—Stephanie Paige on March 6, 1967—

Mr. and Mrs. Jon Melin (Rita Sovey, 1963)
—Kristopher Eliot on February 11, 1967—

Mr. and Mrs. James Lynn (Jane Peters, 1965)
—Marinie Christine on June 11, 1967—

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anleitner (Jean Mears, 1947)
—Robert Louis on July 8, 1967—

#### **CLASS NEWS**

- 1916—Florence Dugan Andrews is in Millbrae Sena Nursing Home, 150 Hemlock St., San Francisco, California.
- 1921—Leane Dallman Gillett and husband spent 2 months in California, 6 weeks in Thousand Oaks, 1 week end in Carlsbad, also San Diego. While there, they had a lovely visit with Miss Attalee Buckingham who is retired and resides at St. Paul's Episcopal retirement home. Nurses in training in the 1920's will remember her as OR supervisor on F floor.
  - Two weeks were spent with Emma Borchardt Hinell SL '33 in Meulo Pk. Emma has been with the Veterans Adm, for 33 years in Palo Alto and will retire in December. She and her husband and daughter Karen will live in Las Altos Hills.
  - Ruth Sackett Zenki-'21 lives in La Jolla and Bertha Madeson-'21 lives in San Diego. They all keep in touch.
- 1934-B-Hattie Schmalz is still working for the USPHS Division of Indian Health. She is now in Oregon and states it's quite a change from the Navajo reservation.
- 1942-The following information was received from Marilyn Carr. "Since graduation, the class hasn't done a very good job of keeping in touch. Since our graduation during W.W. II, most of the girls either got married or joined the Armed Services as soon as they finished."
  - Janet Carol Couse Lanton—Janet served in the ANC during W.W. II. In July, 1946, she married Lt. Paul W. Lanton, USN. They had three children, Paul Jr., who is now in the U.S.A.F., Louise who was just married and Tom now in High School. While stationed in Honolulu in July, 1962; Janet died after a very short illness and was buried with full military honors in Honolulu. Last August Janet's mother died. Her father's address is: Mr. Thomas F. Couse, 2818 South 220th Street, Sp. 50, Kent, Washington 98031.
    On April 20th, the 1952 Presbyterian class celebrated the 15th class reunion. Congratulations!

Pat Laugery Will Young-Pat's husband, Dick works as chief engineer for the Mobil Oil Corp. They live in East Brunswick, N. J. They have 2 boys, Jeff 8 and Jay 6. All enjoy camping and Dick loves flying. On nice weekends, they rent a plane and take to the airways.

Rosebud Hyink Grishkowsky-Husband Henry is a minister of the American Lutheran Church in Hanover, Ill. Rosebud's hobby is baking and she is always baking cookies, bread and sweet rolls for the sick, shutin, bereaved and those with birthdays in the two

congregations that they serve.

Allene Ehlers Sather-Allene's husband, Don has been an Army Chaplin for 14 years. They have been stationed in and about New York for five years and are anticipating a move soon . . . probably Vietnam. In that event Allene and Kristi 12, Larry 9 and Dale 4, will move to Topeka, Kansas. The Sather's have just become proud owners of a new Airstream Trailer. They vacation and travel everywhere in it.

Jane Clark Walden-Jane, husband George, Linda 7, and twins Betsy and Ann 4, live in St. Louis. Jane is kept busy trying to keep up

with her active family.

Lois Kruckeberg Rydeen-Lois, husband Don, Dave 5 and Ruth 2, live in Bellevere, Washington. Don works at Boeing Aircraft. Family,

home, and garden keep Lois busy.

Carol Fishleigh Meles—Otsego, Michigan is the home of Carol, Bob, and children—Cathy 18, Jim 10, and Bruce 9. Family interests include scouting, gardening, church activities and boating. In Dec. '66, Bob won a trip through his Plumbing House, which took them both to Nassau for 5 wonderful days.

Elizabeth Hatton Bryon-Recently moved to Gulfport, Miss., where she is working at the Gulfport, V.A. Hospital. Has two children, Linda

11 and Mary 9.

- Ruth Rubey Hoefle—Ruth and Jack and children—Jan 15, Sue 13, Karen 11, Wendy 9 and Johnny 7, live in Scottsdale, Arizona. Jack is head pharmacist for Walgreens and is happy working for someone else instead of having all the responsibility of his own business. The Hoefle's spend 2 hours each day practicing swimming in their own pool. All the children are excellent swimmers and they have hopes that Jan or Wendy will break some state records. And maybe Johnny will make the Olympics.
- Joy Kitzenberger Beanland—Joy and husband Gayle have been living this past year in the "Ivory Coast," Adidjan, Africa. It is one of the most "stable, progressive, fascinating and challenging spots on the west coast of Africa." It was a French colony until 1960 and still uses the French language, French school system, currency and technical aid. Their job in this area is in the field of communication with the churches. Gayle's job is helping train men to use radio, television, produce movies, filmstrips, etc. Right now Joy and her family are living in rented quarters in a new housing development in Adidjan but are building a new home and office combination. Joy keeps busy shopping, chauffering and cooking. They have 3 children—Frank 8, Carolyn 5, and Robert 3. The family entertains several times a week and have house guests several times a month. Joy helps in both the English and French parishes and serves as welfare chairman of an International Club.
- Jeanette Veldman—We received a most interesting letter postmarked, American Mission Hospital, Arabian Gulf. She writes, "I am retiring after 38 years of missionary work in 4 countries—U.S.A.; China, India, Middle East which really included 4 countries—Iraq, Kuwait, Bahrain, Muscat, Oman. Thank you for keeping the Alumni News coming." She is anxious to get acquainted with P. or PSL grads in Holland, Michigan. Also, a branch alumni group in that area. Jeanette's new address is c/o Warm Friends Tavern, 8 E. 15th Street, Holland, Michigan 49423.
- 1945-B—Beverly Bochman—was recently promoted to Lt. Colonel, Army Nurse Corps. At the present time she is director of the Nurse Anesthe School at Brooke Army Hospital in San Antonio, Texas. Beverly is completing her 19th year in the ANC.
- 1947-B—Mrs. E. Gordon Robbins was chairman of a luncheon held April 22, 1967 at the Regency Room of the Sheraton Blackstone Hotel—celebrating our 20th year of graduation.
- 1948-B—Bernice Bochman Bohn—working as a Public Health Nurse in Park Forest. Has one daughter almost sixteen.
- 1954-B—Patricia Means Martin and family moved into a new home in Country Club Hills last October. They have four girls; Cathy 7, Robin 3, Bronwyn 2, and Stephanie 3 months. Pat works 3 nights per week in the RS's at PSL. She would like the 54B's to send her the news so she could pass it on to this publication. Address is: 4725 W. 176th St., Country Club Hills, Illinois 60477.
- 1960—Sandra Rauland is still working in PSL O.R. She still enjoys skiing and vacationing in Acalpulco.
  - Elaine Ruggles and Nancy Nelson are both co-ordinators at PSL.
  - Mary Bryja Tronjan's daughter Laura is soon to be six. Mary does occasional private duty.
  - Mary Jane Shepherd Whitsett has returned to her native Kankakee with her husband Steve and 3 sons and 2 daughters. Sharon Dee is the newest arrival . . . Mar. 31, 1967.
  - Arydthe Thompson Grosskopf and husband Fred now have an even score—2 girls age 5 and 6 and 2 boys age 3 and 6 mos.

    Kenneth James was born Feb. 10, 1967. Husband Fred graduated from DePaul U. that same week.
  - Marilyn Hawk Bass graduated from DePaul University in June with a Master of Science degree in Nursing.

    A son, Robert Thomas Jr. was born July 10, 1967. They are moving

to Houston in September for Bob to do fellowship with Dr. Michael

De Bakey. In January they will go to Boston for a six monthsfellowship in general surgery at Lakey Clinic before going into practice in Miami Beach, Florida.

1964—Barbara Keller Harms and husband Ed have bought a home in Northbrook, Ill.—Working in an Industrial Clinic in Skokie for six doctors. Ed works as a salesman for Tip Top-Jimmy is now  $2\frac{1}{2}$  yrs. olds.

Sandra Maurey Samples is back at PSL. as Administrative Assistant in Policy and Procedure.

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I'm home again and broke again, but it was worth it! I did what I most enjoy. If I'd been able to contact everyone, I'd have been to twenty states and one incorporated territory. I didn't receive word from all of you in time however, so my travels this year took me to only sixteen states and Guam.

Spring was the chosen time for my trip even tho there was bad weather here and there . . . and Seattle's included when I say "Here." Since my return to the Pacific Northwest, the weather has been exceptional and at this very minute I'm wearing my teenie weenie Bikini! (Can you picture it?)

before I get lazy in the noon day sun, I've got a letter to write.

Starting out on that wobbly old pogo stick was a little frightening, but it still works by golly, and before I knew it I was in Derry, New Hampshire 03038. (Took the Zip Code Route this time and visited you all numerically!) Derry is home to John and Mary Richardson. Still faithful to the profession, Mary works part time in a small local hospital, but will be a recipient of nursing care sometime in August when her family of four becomes five? Mary forsees a busy summer at home with daughter Kelly 4 and son Kevin 3. "No long trip back to Illinois this year!"

New Jersey residents Chuck and Jan Hammond returned recently from Washington, D. C., where Chuck attended a Medical Convention. Jan was able to visit with Barb Murphy while there. Tho the Hammonds don't make plans too far in advance because of the ever constant threat of receiving orders to Viet Nam. They are looking forward to June when they'll aim for Expo 67. Kindergartener Monique has created a clothes problem with her recent growth spurt while brother Mitchell, nearing his first birthday has yet

to show a tooth!

I received a tip on where I could find Rheta Biserni. My informant suggested I try Mt. Kisco, New York and she was right. Rheta and Lou recently purchased a Victorian Type Farmhouse on two acres. Karen 6, Janie 2, and David 4 months, add up to an interesting day (and night!). Lou works for American Airlines and they hope to travel a bit as soon as the diapers decrease in number.

Newark, Delaware. I did it! I visited Ruth Smith twice in the same house and she didn't even mention moving! During the past few months, Ruth has visited with two of her Pres Classmates, Dee Smith and Barb Murphy. Ruth continues her hobby of dog showing and training and has become so involved that she is now secretary of her state's "Dog Club". The care of two foster infants plus her own children (Sarah 8 and Jeff 61/2) occupied most of Ruth's time this past winter. Combining business and pleasure, the Smiths plan to visit the "Windy City" in Mid-Summer.

More Smiths in Newark! Namely Ed and Dee Smith. They arrived from Raleigh, North Carolina a year ago April. A Dachshound pup "Freddy" joined them in June and the household increased once again in July when their daughter Amy Rebecca arrived. She's now a very active ten-month old. Dee made a sudden trip back to Illinois last November when her father died of a heart attack. Since completion of his Masters in Physics, husband Ed has

been with the Dupont Company and enjoys his work very much.

I decided a little air trip was in order and hopped a 'Copter for Washington, D.C. I arrived at National Airport (Ye Gods what a madhouse) and took one mighty leap toward Capital Hill. I missed the Potomoc by literally inches (Whew!) I was in such a hurry because the D.C. girls (Barb Murphy, Carol Seiwell, and Nancy Kepple) and I were meeting for lunch. Lunch was delicious, but I needed a third ear as they all talked at once and I hope I get the facts right. I won't even repeat the hearsay but I sure had two very busy ears! Wow! There was a good deal said about small children as they have a total of 6 between 11/2 and 4 years of age. The Kepples arrived in

Maryland in October. Paul completed his PHD in Physics and has a research position at the U. of Md. Stephen 4 and Karen 2 keep Nancy busy. The Murphys arrived in D.C. about the same time and they will be here until August of '68 at least as Jim has accepted a fellowship from the Brookings Institute (A Political Science Research Institute) for next year. Daughter Elizabeth who is 1½ was diagnosed as Congenital Dysplasia of both hips and wore a Craig splint (not in your nursing books) and is now walking with the best of them. Cris who is 3½ is eagerly waiting from the opening of the swimming pool. I got the impression she wasn't the only one waiting with eager anticipation. The Seiwells have been in the D.C. area for "Years." Burt is data processing with NIH—Ah the age of the commuters and computers. Carl 4 and Neil 2 will be welcoming grandparents from Florida and Wisconsin this summer. Carol's new hair style (A-La-Twiggy) was a bit of a shock. All three agreed this was a marvelous place to live. They've taken advantage of the Concerts and there is so much to see in Washington.

I found that Spring on the East Coast wasn't much of an improvement over the wet Western Weather, and was absolutely delighted that my next stop would be Florida (33511). I donned by Bikini and I'll bet Nancy Jacob was sure I'd never leave. Nancy is retired from Air Force Nursing and is the wife of a "Fighter Jock" and mother of an 8 month old son. A five year old poodle and a nine month old boxer complete the active household in Brandon.

Florida's winter vacationers included John and Betty Best, but home is still Lockbourne Air Force Base . . . that's for a few more weeks—July third marks the big day. An "Ageless old brick house" is waiting for them in Manitowas, Wisconsin. Donald 7½, Cathy 6, and Joe 3½ should have much fun exploring it. Packing and unpacking heads Betty's list of summer activities, but I have a feeling she is looking forward to it . . . in a way.

Tom and Sara Taylor were about to leave their Indiana home when I arrived. A spring vacation for them too! A trip to Illinois to visit parents starts their summer season, with Bible School, swimming, gardening and Guitar lessons to follow. Andy 5 claims the Guitar, but he's a bit young yet for lessons so mama thought she might take some "Just for kicks". Come September Sara and daughter Ellen 3 will be participating in cooperative nursery school while son Andy attends kindergarten.

Sara steered me in the direction of nearby Indianapolis (46226), and new home of Judy Thomas. I found Judy with an armload of loaves to distribute. Following her energetic pace I was able to make a complete tour of the brand new four bedroom Colonial-Style house in no time at all. Just as I thought, we were stopping for a breather, she whisked me off to see Tom at his new office. With this move comes the title of District Claim Manager with the Allstate Company. Heading home again my ears were kept busy as Jill 6½ filled me in on her first grade activities, and Leslie 3 chattered excitedly about any number of things.

Following my visit with Judy, I had just enough Oomph left for one big hop to Iowa before day's end. I arrived at the home of Eleanor Duncan (Waterloo 50701) just in time for cookies and milk with Ronald 4 and Suzy who is 3. As tired as I was, my timing was still perfect! The next morning Eleanor showed me their brand new hospital under construction (to be completed in the Fall). She's getting anxious for the "Big Move" as she continues to work at the hospital three days a week. Eleanor's newest hobby is tropical fish. After having them just one week she was blessed with 28 baby swordtails. Summer plans include a fishing trip to Minnesota in June. Hope you catch your biggest ever, Ellie.

Cedar Lake Hills (Slinger, Wisconsin 53086) was my next stop. Seven years ago Tom and Jan Schaffer were "Pioneers" on Cedar Lake, but today they're surrounded with homes. Three familiar faces (Paul, Mark, and Thomas John) gave me the necessary clue to which house was Jan's. Since my last visit to Cedar Lake "Minnie Moons" ago, Jan as had some major surgery which put her behind in a number of things, but all is well now and she's busy as ever. A Red Cross First Aid Program for training school health volunteers and the care and breeding of show dogs are two major interests these days. Tom travels considerably in his job with the West Bend Company and is currently in charge of setting up a new plant in Sheridan, Arkansas. (Now there's a real commuter!)

53534 a third family in the moving mood! Jim and Connie Ray, Cheryl

7½ and Jody 5 will soon be heading for Webb Air Force Base. June is the time and Texas is the place. Connie has been living near her family in Edgerton, Wisconsin while Jim served in Okinawa, and she's looking forward to the change in climate. (I wonder if a nice hot summer will balance out that cold, cold winter!)

60056 on my first on twenty-one visits in the State of Illinois, I caught Judy Pitek uttering incantations over her front yard. . . . Something about turning her sore muscles and dirty hands into a magic green thumb! Aside from landscaping, Judy is determined to finish the Flagstone Patio and the remodeling they've started on their kitchen. Deborah and Greg (7 and 5 in

August) will probably be around to supervise.

60067 Judy Bush was looking forward to her visit to Expo 67 in June and has nominated Dan "Husband of the Year" for insisting that she and her mother go. A recent job change will prevent his going. Spring (in any form) was a welcome sight for Judy who has nursed her family through bouts of Pnuemonia, ear infections, and Mumps this winter. Spring is also birthday time for all three "Little Bushes". Sarah is now 6, Scott is 3 and Jay is one year old.

Approaching a familiar house in Waukegan 60085, I was amused at the antics of a curly headed toddler playfully eluding her mother, Gay Ferry. Karen 2 does everything her brother and sister do and then some. Brother is Tom 6½, currently enthusiastic about his reading skills and sister is Debbie 5, very excited about her upcoming dance recital. Gay continues with parttime nursing at a nearby hospital. The Ferrys recently became a two-car family and Gay is pleased with the idea. I was lacking in persuasive powers when I tried to sell them my very reliable Pogo Stick . . . (Ha! Ha!) I wonder what the mileage would be. My speedometer gave out long ago.

I came to the conclusion that it must be easier to move than tackle spring cleaning. Susan 3 and Jeanine L. were most helpful (?) as their mother, Dorothy Evans, pursued her packing tasks, finding all the things she needed last Winter. A new address in Addison will be hers by June first. Husband Rich seems happy with his new job as Fireman, having left the Elmhurst Police Department last Fall. Dorothy was one of two representing our class at Homecoming in April.

60104 more moving anticipants! By September Stand and Barb Brandon will be in Champaign where Stan will join two Orthopedic Surgeons in private practice. Barb has plans of continuing with Art Classes at the U. of I. Consecutive numbers 4 5 6 7 may not hold special meaning for anyone else, but they mark the birth day of Barb's first son, Steven Dean. Susan 6 and Sally 4 are his attentive admirers. Before leaving the Brandon Household, Steven had convinced me that a majority can rule . . . But strong lungs are prerequisite!

60148 half expecting twins, Pat Koch was a little relieved when Nicole arrived on March 26th all by herself. "We weren't really prepared to cope with two." Texas was the scene of a recent vacation for the Kochs. Hilights were golfing and a visit with Pat's sister at Fort Hood. Daughter Kim 3 returned with a cowboy outfit complete with six shooters. After she's enjoyed the summer, Pat may satisfy that "Itch To Work" that's bothering her already.

In Maywood, I was entertained with "Slides" of Switzerland. Betty Spencer's Swiss vacation earlier this year was everything she'd hoped it would be. A "Spring Vacation" was spent at Vail, Colorado, on skis of course! It appears that this year so far has been a continuous vacation, but Betty insists that her school nursing job keeps her from experiencing those lovely thoughts. She does plan to return to Europe in a year for more vacationing.

60163 Mary Mueller, busy as usual, had just finished the chairmanship of the school carnival and a glance at her calendar revealed that numerous upcoming events involving her Brownie Troop and Church Youth Group would require her enthusiastic leadership. In addition, Mary and Wayne par-

ticipate regularly in Volleyball and Archery sessions.

I was absolutely delighted when Mary offered to head the Reunion Committee . . . and Mary will be absolutely delighted when some of you volunteer to assist. My recent survey showed that the majority of you in the Chicago area preferred September while the rest of you tallied most votes for August. Since a large number of you indicated you could not make it in September, it appears that an August reunion might be the wisest choice.

Several ideas have been suggested already.

- 1. The proposed date of August 17 or August 24 for the 1968 Tenth Year Reunion.
  - 2. A Saturday Luncheon in Air-conditioned restaurant.
  - 3. A Lawn Party-You'd Need A Lawn!

4. A Beach Party-You'd Need A Towel!

5. An Evening Party, in addition to one of the above—Men included. Violent opposers and friendly suggestors please address mail to Mary Mueller

at 1508 Herbert Avenue, Berkeley, Illinois.
60202 I sincerely appreciate the help I receive in locating lost friends and was most excited when I received an invitation from Carol Hanneman. Linda met me at the dor with lots of chatter. When I asked her age she answered, "Terrible two!" (hmm) Charlie looked suspiciously like a sail boat nut, and sure enough, our evening was filled with sea stories, including his sailing in the Mackinac race last summer. I think Carol especially enjoyed the cruise down Lake Michigan after the race while Linda was in the safe keeping of her grandmother, Charlie's mother who was visiting from Germany. (Thar's a long way to go for a behysiter!) Charlie's ecouparion is they of (That's a long way to go for a babysitter!) Charlie's occupation is that of financial analysis and Carol's is currently a "seamstress" of Linda's summer wardrobe.

My zip code route wasn't foolproof because my three Oak Park friends claim the same number. (60302) I was near Randolph when I noticed my predicament so Shirley Krick was elected to feed me first. Our delicious dessert was a birthday cake presented to Tommy 4. (Perfect timing again! I'm getting pretty good at this now.' Sherry celebrated a birthday on April First and an "Innocent Two" was the only way I could describe her when I saw her napping so peacefully. Shirley had no comment. "Status Quo", with a contented smile, was all I could get out of her. When the topic of Spring cleaning came up I suddenly felt the urge to move on. Just two blocks away lives Connie Ryan but several neighbors finally convinced me that she was not home. (Cant blame a soul for tryin', . . so I was a little noisy. Creating a disturbance has always been one of the very favorite pasttimes of mine! Remember?)

I proceeded to the town house of Walt and Jeanette Whisler and was startled to see such a neat tan! (I was under the impression that Chicago's Spring had been cool and cloudy, too.) A sagacious smirk was detectable and she finally admitted her secret of sunning success. They had just returned from a trip to Los Angeles, San Francisco (for aneurosurgery convention) and Hawaii. Of all the times for me to goof, I had to miss out on a trip to Hawaii. While reprimanding Jan for not thinking of me when she planned that vacation, in walked Walt and I quickly changed the subject. (Wheew . . . that was close!) Walt is writing his thesis for his Ph.D. in biochemistry and will be taking his boards in neurosurgery this Fall. He's been appointed assistant attending on PSL hospital staff. The assistant O.R. Director (Jan) will be taking a loa in preparation for the first little Whisler arriving in September and was most excited about the forthcoming event,

Jan was one of several of you who told me of the recent news from PSL School of Nursing. Out of 100 applicants for the Fall, only 12 were qualified for acceptance. Hence the decision to close the school. Saddened by the news I went directly to DE who was in Oak Park for her sister's wedding. She wasn't much help. In fact I had to cheer her up!

60558 Joan Linden welcomed a third son in November, but maintains that "He's so pretty he should have been a girl." The Lindens flew (courtesy

American Airlines, of course) to San Diego and Dallas for a vacation early this year. In January Joan was visited by two of her classmates at her home in Western Springs. Kate Borgsmiller, Carol Hanneman, and Joan certainly enjoyed their reunion. Via that grapevine I learned that Jan Anderson will be receiving her "Masters" this June.

Joan occasionally sees another classmate who works full time in a familiar photography studioo a few blocks away. Leaving for an afternoon of golf Joan pointed the way and soon Nikki Bresnahan was filling me in on her latest travels. They've recently been to Tucson, Mexico, Los Angeles and San Francisco. Business is really booming and I'm proud to report that the Bresnahans received some awards from their exhibits in the Illinois, Wisconsin, and Indiana state conventions. Their son John is five and enjoys school.

Another golf enthusiast is Dottie Bossard. She even tried to form a league at Bell Telephone labs where she works, but not enough were interested. The "Sweet Adeline's" gained a new member last Fall and Dottie's been having lots of fun singing barbershop harmony. In addition to her laboratory nursing job, she has started working part-time at Hinsdale Hospital "just to keep up with things" in case she decides to change again. (I think she kind of misses the hospital atmosphere with all its bustle!) Summer plans include car shopping instead of vacationing this year. (Would you be interested in a

slightly bruised pogo stick, D. B.???)

It felt so good to be back in the Windy City again. I was hopping carefreely along singing "Chicago, Chicago, that wonderful . . . oops" (better make that carelessly) when I collided with a building. Wouldn't you know it? A hospital. The Evangelical Hospital to be exact. There was something familiar about this place. Then I remembered; Camille Proud lives right across the street. Picking myself up and briefly examining pogo I noticed Camille. She'd witnessed the whole scene and though terribly amused, she showed genuine concern and insisted that I be seen by one of the doctors. While there I also saw Camille's husband Ted, who was recently promoted to full administrator of the hospital. There's a room reserved there for "early June", at which time Camille and Ted will become "proud" parents again. Meanwhile she's trying to keep calm, but Cara 2½ is anything but a calming influence.

Camille was the other representative from our class at Homecoming. In addition to the closing of our hallowed halls was the sad news that Miss Magdalene Steward passed away in February from a M.I. "Homecoming" was a tenth reunion affair for our Big Sis class and Camille enjoyed her visit with them.

You may recall that Jim and Flo Phillips are real camping bugs. In fact, for the past few years I've found that same old weatherbeaten sign on the door, "Gone Fishin'". Well, this year I beat them to the door, but not by far. They'll soon be spending their leisure at a newly purchased lakeside cottage, located 100 miles from Chicago. (near Lake Geneva) There's a new sailboat, too, and it all adds up to fun for Jim, Flo, Cathy 7 and David 5. Swimming is also a family favorite and Flo has ben an instructor at the YMCA. Jim is a salesman and handles various factory accessories. Flo's sister Mary is a PSL grad (Class of '60) and they spend a lot of time together as she lives very near.

61350 One of Ottawa's good citizens stopped me as I approached the City Center. Ellie Lewis, with her friendly persuasion should be a great asset on their fund raising project. Their goal is one million dollars for a new five million dollar hospital. "Ellie", I said, "If you can build a five million dollar hospital with one million dollars, I'm going to stay around for some lessons." Ellie tried her best to explain it to me. (Now I know why I'm a moocher!) Arriving abruptly on the scene were three "all boy" boys, namely Gregory 8, Bobby 4½ and John Henry 2. They appear to be the most active members of the family, But Ellie runs a close race. She's a Red Cross nurse for Bloodmobiles; she serves on the Public Health Board, teaches Sunday schol, exercises at the YMCA, and keeps track of all her boys, and that includes Robin. He still teaches at R & E which keeps him in touch with some of his training buddies.

Heading south to Lincoln 62656, I arrived on Jan Ulrich's EDC but baby Ulrich wasn't quite ready to face the world. Lynda 7 would definitely like a sister, but Alex 5 is too busy to be concerned. Joining husband Ed in his favorite hobby, the Ulrichs flew to Padre Island, Texas, and Mexico City. Jan plans to include a nearby pool in her summer fun if baby No. 3 has a sweet disposition.

Springfield now claims two of my friends: Marcia Gibson and Sandy Hill. The Gibbons moved from Flora recently. Jack is now employed with the J. W. Hobbs Company and Marcia is temporarily retired from nursing. She worked part-time in Flora and just before retiring had participated in special classes for an intensive coronary care unit which she found most interesting. Marcia loves Springfield and has met many new friends through the "Nu-Comer's Club". Immediate summer plans include sewing for Camille 7½ and Jackie Sue 3. Bridge is a favorite pastime whenever she gets the chance.

The latest news at Sandy's is that the Crawford clan would be gathering

for the last daughter's wedding. Brother Paul will be coming from Hawaiian navy duty and following his leave he'll begin duty in San Diego. If he joined the navy to see the world, he is sure seeing the sunnier parts. Golf is a favorite with the men and Sandy says her father now has a foursome of sons-in-law. Swimming will be included in summer fun for Sandy, Amy who is one and Lauri who is 6, and Jack will no doubt be chasing a little white ball.

62956 "Energetic" describes Kate Borgsmiller and "Travelers" describe this family of six. They spent Christmas in Tulsa and over half the month of March in various parts of Florida. Their children (Dirk 5, Jane 4, Johanna 2½) accompanied them while their baby Julie Ann (now 7 months) was cared for by friends. Fritz and Katie also spent a few days in Chicago during January. Visiting with Carol Hanneman and Joan Linden were among the hi-lights of that trip. Kate continues to be active in her community's civil defense program and works only an occasional day at the hospital. Needless to say her spare time is at a minimum these days!

63126 Tec Leyerle is back in St. Louis. Jim switched from selling to purchasing and is to begin work on his masters degree. Along with the selling job went the big company car and the trips all over the country. Tec was eager to show me the nice house they have rented and she was so pleased with the lovely yard. Didn't look like staying home would be much of a strain as I picked out several excellent spots to spend the summer afternoons. Jamie 3½ had just recovered from chicken pox. They waited for Jim to get them

but nothing happened.

I was anxious to visit the "Heir Apparent" of my room at Polly Mayes' home in Dallas. Can you imagine how I felt being replaced by a boy? John Terrell arrived October 27, 1966 and was graciously welcomed by his big sister, Cathy who is 4. I could sure go for this nice slow easy livin' again but as I checked my itinerary, I noticed an asterisk at my next stop and that means "swimming pool". Mary Jane Kehle and daughters Beth 6 and Deborah 3 were mking good use of it when I arrived so I just hopped right in. Paul and Mary were enthusiastic about recent trips to Mexico. The last one was in April when they chaperoned 19 college-career kids for a long weekend. They took all their own food and water and Mary did all the cooking on a two burner camp stove. (I was impressed.) Mary will be director of Vacation Bible School and will lead a special summer program for their Sunday School class.

92106 Ah—the blue Pacific. I was running a little ahead of schedule so I decided to check Hermosa Beach area where I was supposed to find Vivian Anderson Hayes. No answer to my knock so I hopped right on down the beach (always avoid those freeways if at at all possible) and arrived at the Rees residence. Gary is to deploy in June for about 6 months and Kathy is going to do some deploying of her own. She and the children are going to spend the summer in Iowa with the relatives. Gary received his second full stripe and is a full lt. He is operations and communications officer on USS Bream, a WWII vintage submarine. Kathy and Gary recently spent five "glorious" days in San Francisco — a second honeymoon! It was Kathy's first flight. I tried to remember my first flight but just haven't any recollection beyond 1959 when I was supposedly born in a flight of fantasy and that is the first flight I can remember. And when I asked more of "those" questions, I was told that my full name was Minerva and that I sprang full grown from the head of D.B. and if you think those stork stories are hard to believe, try this one. But I digress. Actually, I was waiting for reservations from San Francisco but it would appear that the Bay area completely forgot me. (Boo! Hoo!) Someone could have hi-jacked their mail I suppose.

So I sneaked aboard a transport plane and a few hours and 5500 miles later, arrived on the island of Guam. Con and Ellie Slaviero have been stationed there nearly a year with the Air Force (Con is a chaplain). I found Ellie up to her ears in bananas. (She wishes eggs and lettuce were as plentiful.) And that reconstituted milk — well! A "Rest and Recreation" trip to Japan was taken last year and they plan to see Hong Kong, Taiwan and revisit Japan on future R & 8 trips before returning to the states next June.

Ellie keeps busy with Sunday School, Brownies, bowling, teaches a mother and baby care course and also does volunteer nursing for air-evacs from Viet Nam. They meet the planes and help with everything and anything. Ellie says "when you work you really become part of the war." Guam is a nice tropical island with beautiful beaches and banana trees and coconut palms; it also has frequent earthquakes and typhoons. It is half Navy and half Air Force and home base for the B-52's. All this on an island 10 miles by 30 miles. Though Con travels a great deal; Ellie keps the home fires burning for Julie 7 and Todd 5.

My next "Port of Call" was Portland (Oregan, not Maine) and I was back in the Pacific Northwest, "Home" to four of us: June Chitty, De Good-

fellow, Sonja Stork, and me!

The Chitty's have built a beautiful new home at Lake Oswego and they'll be "building" a lawn this summer. Jack got his boards in Internal Medicine this April and is in practice with a group of four other doctors. June will be pursuing her art interest with classes at Marylhurst College in the Fall. On the "Fourth day of Christmas" (12-28-66) the Chitty's Christmas gift was a son named Andrew. To be sure, he's the center of attraction these days. Lisa 7 and Julie 5 try very hard to be "helpful". Doting grandparents will have their first chance at spoiling him when the family pays a visit in Peoria for three weeks in June.

That household was so busy that I became exhaused just watching them so I decided to hop the gritty Great Northern and ride the rails. It isn't my

preferred mode of travel, but it's a lot easier on the legs.

I arrived in Seattle and went directly to the ship canal to see if I could spot De and Bill on their sailboat and sure enough, there they were. They had just returned from a "neat" weekend on Puget Sound. De can still recall some "not so neat" weekends last winter when it was just a wee bit cold and wet. I went along occasionally and I can vouch for her! A "relative" vacation earlier this year took Ds and Bill to Illinois, Wisconsin, and Maryland. They had a delightful visit with the Seiwells while in the D.C. area.

Just about the time of my departure, De's doctor decided that she needed major surgery. Tactfully (?) explaining that hospitals and sick people don't really appeal to me, I said my farewell as planned. (You see, I actually went into nursing for the money and when I learned the truth about that, I decided to become a moocher.) My timing really couldn't have ben better because Mike Stork 5 had surgery while I was gone too. Sonja said that after he'd received the usual amount of gifts, ice cream and sympathetic attention, his brother David 6½ finally remarked "I think I'm going to need my tonsils out too". Mike's squeeky little voice had disappeared and he can yell with the rest of them now so it looks like summer will be as noisy as ever. (And who'd want it any other way???) Sonja likes to spend her leisure gardening, swimming and playing the piano. Her husband Don is another enthusiastic golfer. There will be a late summer summer treat when Don's folks will visit from South Dakota.

Before I'm as lobster red as my teeny weeny bikini, from sitting in this nice warm sun, let me thank you all for your royal hospitality, and let me remind you to be looking for me again early next Spring. Now don't mistake me for the Easter Bunny just because I hop!

Adieu to you,

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#### PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

One more year has passed and much has transpired in the lives of all the Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing family.

We have been made cognizant of the many issues and changes that are affecting the entire profession, as well as our own school. In my first message to the Alumni, I stressed the importance of assuming a "Positive Position," in alerting ourselves to the multiple problems and issues facing the nursing profession. It is even more important today. We must give profound thought to these issues. We must recognize the realities of today and set the direction for the future. To this end I will continue to seek your cooperation and activity.

It will continue to be the signal responsibility of the Alumni to promulgate the spirit of our great association, designated by loyalty, friendship, professionalism and service.

Sincerely yours,
(Mrs.) KATHRYN GDALMAN
President

#### **GRADUATION DAY - 1967 - FALL**

The Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing graduated 112 nursing students on Friday, September 15, 1967 at the Fourth Presbyterian Church.

The commencement address was given by Dr. James Campbell, President, Presbyterian-St. Luke's Hospital. Miss Edith D. Payne, chairman of Division of Nursing presented the class to Dr. Campbell, Miss Christian, and Miss Johnson for the conferring and presentation of their school pins.

Awards for outstanding scholastic and professional achievement were presented to 11 students at the graduation breakfast which was held in the Nurses' residence prior to the graduation service.

Maureen Elaine Karpus, was the recipient of the award presented by the Alumni Association.

After the graduation service a tea for the graduates, their families and friends was held in the School of Nursing.

Welcome, 1957 graduates, to the Alumni Association. We look forward to greting you at our meetings.

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Miss Magdaline Steward, was our Executive Secretary, from November 1966 to February 9, 1967. She died suddenly on her way to work. Miss Steward or Ming as we all knew her left behind a legacy of friends and devoted co-workers in the Alumni and School Of Nursing.

The Board of Directors held two special meetings and four regular meetings. Your president presided at all meetings. Our second special meeting was to read the letter of resignation of our Treasurer Clarice Schmettler and appoint a Treasurer to fill her unexpired term. Mrs. Edna Travers was appointed to fill this vacancy. We wish Merel all the best in her new position.

Your President conducted business meetings for the following regular meetings held February 3, 1967, June 12, 1967 and October 9, 1967.

It was a sincere pleasure to extend greetings to the Alumni and honored guests who attended our Annual Homecoming Day and Banquet on April 20, 1967.

As your representative I accepted an invitation to attend the graduation breakfast at the School Of Nursing on March 3, 1967, and again on September 15, 1967. Our Alumni Association Awards were presented to Janet Dubs, and Maureen Karpus, respectively. The awards were given on the basis of outstanding performance in patient care, scholastic achievement and citizenship. The commencement service was held at the Fourth Presbyterian church.

As your representative I also presented our "Student Scholarship Award" to Karen Walsh, a member of the Senior class of resbyterian-St Luke's Hospital School Of Nursing.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my very deep appreciation to many persons, those on the Board and members alike, who have made this difficult year an interesting and meaningful one to me personally. Sincere thanks to all my committee Chairmen and their committees for an outstanding job well done. A special thank you to Edna Travers for her continued devotion and interest in Alumni Affairs.

May you all have a very Happy Holiday and New Year.

Respectfully Submitted, KATHRYN MINOR GDALMAN, President



#### NOMINATING COMMITTEE 1967

The Nominating Committee held three meetings in 1967. The first to select a chairman. The next two was for the purpose of preparing a ballot.

The written consent and information for a biographical sketch were obtained from each candidate selected by the committee.

The biographical sketch and ballot for 1967-68 was enclosed and sent to each member of the Alumni Association.

1890 ballots and envelopes were mailed.

Our appointed teller for 1967 is Wolf & Company, C.P.A.

RUTH SKULINA, Chairman



#### **REVISIONS COMMITTEE 1967**

There were no revisions to our by-laws for the year 1967.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs.) MARIE HARDIN GEISLER,

Chairman



#### **EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

The following Graduate Nurses were granted Alumni Scholarships for furthering their education:

Miss Mardelle Davis Class of 1965

Mr. Joseph Ehardt Class of 1961

The 1967 Graduates who were granted Alumni Awards are:

Janet Lois Dus March Class

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In October 1967 Karen Walsh was the recipient of the Student Scholarship annually awarded to a worthy and outstanding second year student nurse.

> Submitted by: RUTH E. SCHMIDT, Chairman, Education Committee

#### PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE

The Public Relations Committee published four issues of the Alumni News and Views this past year. We have tried to encourage people to send news this past year since the response with class news has been rather poor this year. Hopefully this coming year will find the Alumni News and Views more of a voice of the Alumni.

Respectfully submitted,
DOROTHEA BOSSARD, Chairman.



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Attendance: 40

October 9, 1967 Program.: "Mission to Africa"
Speaker: Dr. John S. Long
Place: Continental Club (Iower level)
310 S. Michigan

Attendance: 34
Dinner Meeting \$5.25/member
Respectfully submitted,

INÊTTE M. HOXSEY, Chairman, Program and Social Committee



#### MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE—1966-1967

The Membership Committee sent 115 letters and courtesy membership cards to the members of the march graduating class. Letters, courtesy membership cards and an information sheet giving pertinent facts regarding the Alumni Association were sent to 112 members of the September graduating class. The information sheet was compiled by Mrs. Gdalman, President of the Alumni Association.

During the past year no active campaign has been made to contact those members who have not rejoined the association. Plans will be made in the near future to recruit delinquent members with reassurances of a continuing active association.

MARIE STEINKE, Chairman, Membership Committee MARY W. BYRNE FUND Sentember 1 1966 - August 31, 1967

Balance available, August 31, 1966	\$ 9,805.11
Receipts: Investment income and interest	4,780.76
Total Balance Available Expenditures - Write off of hospital charges	\$14,585.87 423.85
Balance available, August 31, 1967	\$14,162.02

VEĹMA W. BOWMÁN

#### IN MEMORIAM

The Alumni Association wishes to convey deepest sympathy:

• to Julia Larson Wolverton (Pres. 1921) whose husband Percy passed away

July 28, 1967 of a heart attack in their home.

• to the family and friends of Louise Simmons Schneider (Pres. 1916) who passed away in August, 1967 from a coronary thrombosis with arteriosclerosis She had had a coronary several years ago and had undergone some vascular surgery of the neck since then.

 to the family and friends of Dora Townsend Starnes (Pres. 1907) who passed away July 31, 1967 after a lengthy illness. She was instrumental in organizing the Red Cross in Juneau County 50 some years ago. She was Home Service Director during W.W. II and Korea. Her husband was a Doctor in New Lisbon until his death in 1952.

to the family and friends of Janis Marie Sipos (PSL-1967) who died in Sept.

1967.

 to the family and friends of Willa Jo Elder (PSL-1967) who died suddenly Sept. 27, 1967.

to the family and friends of Patricia Laugery Willyoung (Pres. 1952) who

died suddenly April 28, 1967.

• to the family and friends of Margaret Ossewaard Andrews (Pres. 1916) who expired in Milwaukee on August 12, 1967. She was past commander of the Jane Delano Post #185 in Chicago.

#### **CLASS NEWS**

1914—Just to prove that the old gals still get around;

Marjorie K. Reid—St. Louis 1918 and Eve Morkill, St. Louis 1914 both of New Orleans flew to California in July and stayed with Ida Swanson Peterson—St. Louis 1915 in her lovely apt. in Los Angeles. They all drove to Santa Barbara for a week and also saw Ruth Sackett Zinke—St. Louis 1921 who lives in delightful La Jolla. Marjorie and Eve toured Mexico in Feb. Few will remember us but we think fondly of old St. Lukes.

1926—Geneva Boggs Robinson and husband have retired and sold their Indiana home. They are moving to a mobile home in Florida and come north in the summer.

- 1928—Doris Holdren Means (S.L.) would like to begin setting something up for the 40th Anniversary of her class in 1968. She is mainly interested in getting news from all or as many classmates as possible. Please send your news to her and if you know about some of the rest of your classmates pass that on to her too. Her address is 10412 Calumet Ave., Chicago, Illinois 60628.
- 1935-(S.L.)—Elsie Havens Blue has been living in Alaska for the past 26 years. She still keeps up her interest in the health field. She is Executive Secretary for the State Association, Assitant Administrator for Ridgeview Manor Nursing Home, and the Governor has appointed her to the State Comprehensive Health Advisory Council.

Her husband is historian for the Army Alaska and daughter, Virginia, is an actress in N.Y.

1950—Our best wishes to Sally Ballinger, on her appointment to the faculty of the Department of Nursing, DePaul University.

1956—Best wishes to Clarice Merel Schmittler on her appointment to the faculty of the Department of Nursing at Northern Illinois University.

1960—Evelyn Carder and family have moved to Hickory Hills. Son—Jimmy is 3½ and at present has a foster child, Joe—1 year.

Marylee (Zaccardi) Folkens is still working parttime in a nursing home.

Daughter Tina is 7 years old and enjoying second grade.

Dorothy Lange Abbuhl writes from Tucson, Arizona, that her husband, Dick, finished law school in June. Also having his M.D. he was set for a career in legal medicine. Uncle Sam stepped in to change their plans and Dick is now in Viet Nam. She plans to stay in Tucson and attend the university part time. Billy is 6 and Dianne 3. They hope to have a trip to Hawaii for a R & R with Dick in about 6 months.

Helenja (McGary) Clarage—Doing fine after surgery at PSL in spring. Jim, Sr. is busy as member of several civic project committees. Sons Jimmy, age 4½, and Mike, age 3½, are growing up quickly.

Nancy Horrell McNamara and husband moved to Amherst, N.Y. earlier this year. Her husband is a plant industrial engineer of a paper mill near there.

1961—Barb (Schueler) Muno mother of Jennifer—age 3 and Christine age 7 mos. took a vacation this summer with family thru Michigan up to Mackinac Island. Barb works 1 day a week in a Rockford Hospital.

Judy (Swanson) Muna, mother of Melessa, David and Danny—Judy, and husband Frank, recently enjoyed a second honeymoon trip to Rockton, Illinois.

Sue (Purvis) Simancek, mother of Mark—3½ and Timmy, 1½, Sue; and husband Gary are looking forward to holiday trip to Florida.

Judy (Venema) Dombrow, mother of Jonathan—16 mos.—is now workparttime as a "float" at Central Community Hospital. Took an "antique-hunting" trip to Western New York. Spent a weekend in Auburn Heights, Michigan with Sue Simancek and had a wonderful time.

Inette Hoxesy, working in O.R. at Presbyterian-St. Luke's enjoyed her trip to Europe as part of the hospital-sponsored tour. Inette is doing a terrific job planning interesting dinner meetings in the Loop area. Would love to see more people come out—especially all of you from class of 1961 living in Chicago area!

Maxine Hopkins Huston and family live in Bloomington, Indiana where husband, Jack is a second year student in Indiana University School of Optometry. Maxine works full-time at Bloomington Hospital in the emergency room. They have 3 daughters ages 5, 4, and 2.

Bea Aigner Provines and family also live in Bloomington, Indiana where husband Wayne is a graduate student working on a Master of Science Degree in Physiological Optics. Bea keeps busy at home with Janet 4 and David 2.

1962—In July the Carboys (Mary Jo Stelk) moved to San Francisco where John is in his second year ophthalmology residency. They settled in a typical city flat and their son arrived 3 weeks later.

Mary Jo wonders if anyone knows the whereabouts of Donna Frahn Hebereein.

1963—Diana Werstler mother of Susan Beth—age 6 months—returned to parttime nursing in O-B department at Christ Community Hospital.

#### THE EDUCATION FUND

Many persons today honor birthdays and anniversaries by sending contributions to their favorite education funds. Many others find deep satisfaction in making memorial contributions, thereby serving the living and paying thoughtful tribute to the memory of a loved one. Why not help your Alumni Education Fund by so doing? An acknowledgement will be sent to the family or friend by the chairman of the Education Committee and the amount of the gift will be held in confidence.

The Education Committee of the Alumni Association extend their welcome to new graduates and new members. Through the Education Fund, Scholarships and Educational Loans are available to those who wish to continue their education.

A Graduate Nurse Scholarship is awarded each year for which application forms are available through members of the Education Committee. These applications should be submitted to the Committee before May 1 for the following school year. Educational Loans from the M. Helena McMillan Graduate Loan Fund may be applied for at any time. An Educational Loan is granted without interest and is to be repaid within a three year period.

If you are interested in continuing your education and earning a degree, the Alumni Association may be able to assist in accomplishing your goal. Contact one of the members of the Education Committee or write to the Alumni Association "Education Committee" for further information.

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